

OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, SUNDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 3, 1907.

EUDORA VICTORIOUS IN THE CALIFORNIA OAKS



MASTERFUL RIDE BY JOCKEY WILLIE DUGAN CAPTURES RICH CLASSIC

Tommy Sandy, Star Pigskin of Day's Races, Favorites Dividing the Card-- High Class Day's Sport at Williams Park and Well Received Victory.

By LEE DEMIER.

SATURDAY was anything but inviting for the running of the Oaks and other good attractions put on by the association at Williams Park. In consequence the attendance was not up to the usual half holiday crowds of a Saturday. At that those who braved the inclement weather were treated to some lively contests, and form in most of the races was as near right as possible to be under the conditions. The hard rains of the night before made the track very sloppy, and the races were run through a river of slush. The horses that had the speed to go to the front, gathered most of the coin. Favorites were successful in the first three events; the other three being won by a well-played second choice, a six to one shot and an outsider at fifteen to one. In all, the public had an even thing with the bookies. Even with the attendance below the average for such occasions, the bookmakers were there, good and strong. Thirty-one of the knights of the chalk and chamote, were on hand to take care of the wants of the speculatively inclined.

Sandy's Successful Ride

The jockey honors of the day fell to Tommy Sandy, who put over three firsts at long prices. Miller and L. Williams each won a race and Willie Dugan rode the winner of the Oaks. EUDORA'S GRAND WIN OF OAKS. Of course, the event of the day was the fourth race on the card, The California Oaks, at one mile and a sixteenth for three-year-old fillies, worth \$2000 added money. Enough to bring out the best of this division of racers. From the point of betting the race was quite open. The talent could see but three horses, Grace G. at 2-1, with Miller in the saddle, and Miss Official divided honors for second choice, both being held at 3-1; while the winner, Eudora, was as good as seven. The running of the race was interesting, all the horses being well bunched. Eudora was first to get away and held on to the advantage throughout the entire journey. Michel Hollander was second for half the trip but had enough at that distance. Grace G. and Miss Official broke well and were close up all the way, but hard ridden, neither one could gain on the pacemaker.

Dollie Dollars Receives Ill-Judged Ride

Sandy as usual in the stake events, met with all the bad luck and put up a very slovenly ride. Slow to break he took his horse into innumerable pockets and while in the stretch, gave the filly, Dollie Dollars, a very easy ride. It is too bad as good a horseman as this little fellow is, that he cannot use better judgment in his rides in the feature events. He has had the leg up on the best mounts in both the Burns and Oaks and should have been closer up each time. The winner of the Oaks is due all credit for her win, she stood them all off one at a time and had something to spare at the end. It was a race well worth the price of admission.

Love of Gold Easily Wins First

Other races of the day that entertained the masses were the first for



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two-year-olds at one-half mile. Sam Hildreth took this event with his good filly, Love of Gold, a heavily played odds on favorite. Sam seems to have the juvenile races at his mercy and just keeps on winning them. Keep it up, Samuel. Consistency is what is wanted in the game. Abbey, the first time out, finished second, while Jeremiah got the show.

Laura F. M. at Home in the Going.

The second race, a high-weight selling affair at five and a half furlongs, was easy for the odds-on favorite, Laura F. M., who, after indulging Judge with the lead, passed in hand some black at the paddock and came on home. He placed, while Swagger, always trying, ran third. Laura F. M. received a substantial boost over her entered price. Mary E., nicely ridden, took the third race in a hard drive from Nonie Lucille, with Supreme Court third. Marion Rose and Cloudlight ran themselves to the ground and stopped to a walk.

Capt. Rice Gets Some More Yellow Stuff

The fifth race, at one mile and a sixteenth, was won by Captain Rice's gelding, Governor Davis, with Sandy up. Alarie placed and Orchan got third money. Jackful, off first, led by five lengths to the half, but the lad, Mentry, could do no more than sit still. On the way to the post Orchan amused the crowd by stopping in front of the judges' stand, refusing to move until an assistant starter came along and gave him a few cracks of the whip. With the bad boy up on Jackful, Orchan was supposed to be the goods, and, always a well-played favorite, getting away to advantage, failed to run to his last race or anywhere near his best form.

Tony Faust's Measure Taken by a Selling Plater

The sixth race was where Tony Faust was expected to make his field look like the proverbial 30 cents, but

a selling plater called Beechwood just galloped in ahead of the prize package. Dorado, practically left, ran a swell race and might have won with an even break. Hector, as usual, went to the front, but found the route too far. Dusty Miller likes a heavy or fast track, not sloppy going.

Bad Track Condition the Rule

About every kind of track conditions prevailed during the week--and general bad weather was the order of things, at that the attendance held up fairly good, the regulars being there to the man. The bookmakers were all in line, thirty strong, ready to be fired at. As usual during this season of the year, the pencilers are having the best of the argument and adding to their already fat bank rolls. The form of horses, while not up to that expected on a fast track, still holds good and the favorites win a fair average.

Kercheval Again Wins

The race to create the most interest, outside of the Oaks, was the Tigress Handicap, run on Wednesday and taken by the Burns Handicap winner, Kercheval, in a hard drive from Dusty Miller and Nealon. The latter horse, in receipt of thirteen pounds over the Burns race, and with Walter Miller up, was considered the good thing of the race and heavily played by the public at 4-5. The race was very unsatisfactory and does not yet settle the supremacy of Kercheval over Nealon. The Burns winner is a grand animal and entitled to credit for his win, but the ride on Nealon in this same race was as poor a piece of horsemanship as could be seen anywhere. With Miller up a great deal was expected. Yet he gave the horse, the ride of a cool, keeping him on the rail the entire route and getting out of twice during the race. Not so with L. Williams on Kercheval. He kept clear of interference and to the outside, in the best going. At that had Kercheval swerved at the wire Dusty Miller would probably have won. The latter horse was hemmed in between Kercheval and Nealon and Kercheval slightly impeded Dusty's progress, and he in turn caused Miller to Nealon to pull up. Graham on Dusty Miller lodged a claim of foul, but the race was allowed to stand as they finished. In all it was an unsatisfactory race. To bring out the ability of Kercheval he must hook up with the real true horse in the Burns Handicap, that wonderful mare, Logistella. Had Tony

my Sandy not lost his left stirrup she would have been closer up. It is to be hoped that the talked-of special will materialize and that these grand equine performers will be brought together. If they do it would pack the ground to overflowing, and, weather permitting, be a record attendance.

Apprentice Boys Do Well

Looking over the riding of the jockeys the past week, those boys who are just learning to ride have made quite a showing. On Monday Lycurgus put over his first winner of his career. The same day R. Davis and E. Dugan got over a winner each and Davis followed up his good work by bringing Judge home first in a mile and fifty yards race Tuesday and again landing this same horse first in a six-furlong affair Thursday. Another boy to secure his first winner was Lauby, who won on Mitra, the second race Thursday. The colt was heavily played and the ring received a genuine schooling. Friday A. Williams, an apprentice lad, won with Huford, and so it has been all week. So with this form in riders shown, good material for saddle work may develop out of this winter's crop of young jockeys. Miller is far in the lead of the older division, with L. Williams, A. Brown and Sandy in the order named. These four boys have a big lead over the rest of the riders.

A Synopsis of the Week's Doings

Monday the Keenes took the baby races with their colt Raconteur, and by the way he galloped it looks like they have a good youngster. The same day Van Ness turned the tables on his old rival, Nonie Lucille, getting the decision. Orchan was out loose, and a genuine hog killing made when he romped home first. The game Tuesday saw President Williams add one more, nick to his stick of victories when his colt Hugerfano, superbly ridden by Miller, won. The credit of the race was the boy's, and had R. Davis on Avona gone about his business the result would have been different. The day was full of close finishes. The first race was so close it was some time before the judges dropped the number of Import first and Be Thankful second. Tony Faust merely breezed home first in the Genevieve handicap ahead of Hector and Cloudlight. It was quite a contrast from the performance he put

up Saturday when badly beaten by Grasscutter and Ocean Shore. Charles Van Dusen came pretty near making a cleanup when Dusty Miller was beaten a nose by Kercheval in the Tigress handicap at one mile on Wednesday. He played his horse from 15 to 6 to console him for a race he should have had. He gathered quite a bunch when his horse, Supreme Court connected with the second event.

David Boland's Suspension

If ever a horse was crazy, David Boland was surely one on Thursday in the fifth race. While in the paddock the fellow was so frisky that he nearly cleaned the paddock out, and to get aboard him Miller had to make a flying leap to the saddle. At the post he carried on as badly, and was so full of the hop that his race was run before the start was made. For the antics of the horse, Cleat, the trainer, and horse were suspended indefinitely. Friday one more win was recorded for Mr. Williams when his colt Creations annexed the baby event. Huford, after a rest of two years, came back to life and easily won the third at seven furlongs. This one was played all over the country and in the ring for further orders. The sixth race on Friday was the event of the day. St. Francis, after a rest of a few weeks, beat Rapid Water a neck in a hard drive. Fireball stopped. The day was very disastrous to the talent, only one first choice winning, while several heavily-played short-priced favorites went down to defeat.

This Week's Features

On account of so much rain, the track condition at its best will be bad. A number of good races are on, and plenty of sport will be the order. Of course, the main attraction for the week will be the Palace Hotel Handicap, at one mile and a furlong, which is expected to be run Saturday. This race is a sort of renewal of the Burns race and much the same animals meet, excepting Kercheval, who was not nominated. Last year Proper, with 125 pounds, won from Bannock Belle by a neck on a muddy track this same race. Other events for the week out of the ordinary will be the Supreme Handicap, value \$600, at the Futurity course Tuesday. On Wednesday a \$1000 handicap at one and one-sixteenth miles, called the Ssang handicap. Thursday the card will be made up of four selling and two purse affairs. Friday a dash of five and one-half furlongs, the Bedotte handicap, will be offered, and Saturday will bring to a close a good week's racing.

HORSEMEN WHO HAVE PLENTY OF SENTIMENT

SOME years ago Bert Shank, one of a family of famous drivers, sold to a man in New York a black gelding called Malzour, that had a trotting record of 2:15 and acted in a general way as if that was the limit of his speed. When Shank sold the horse to the New Yorker, whose name was Lloyd, he explained to that gentleman that the black gelding was a superior article of horseflesh, as road nags with fast records went. That he was easy to drive, good disposition in and out of the stable, was not addicted to hysterics, which complaint many fast horses by reason of their superabundant nerve force are troubled, and that, in general, he was a prize.

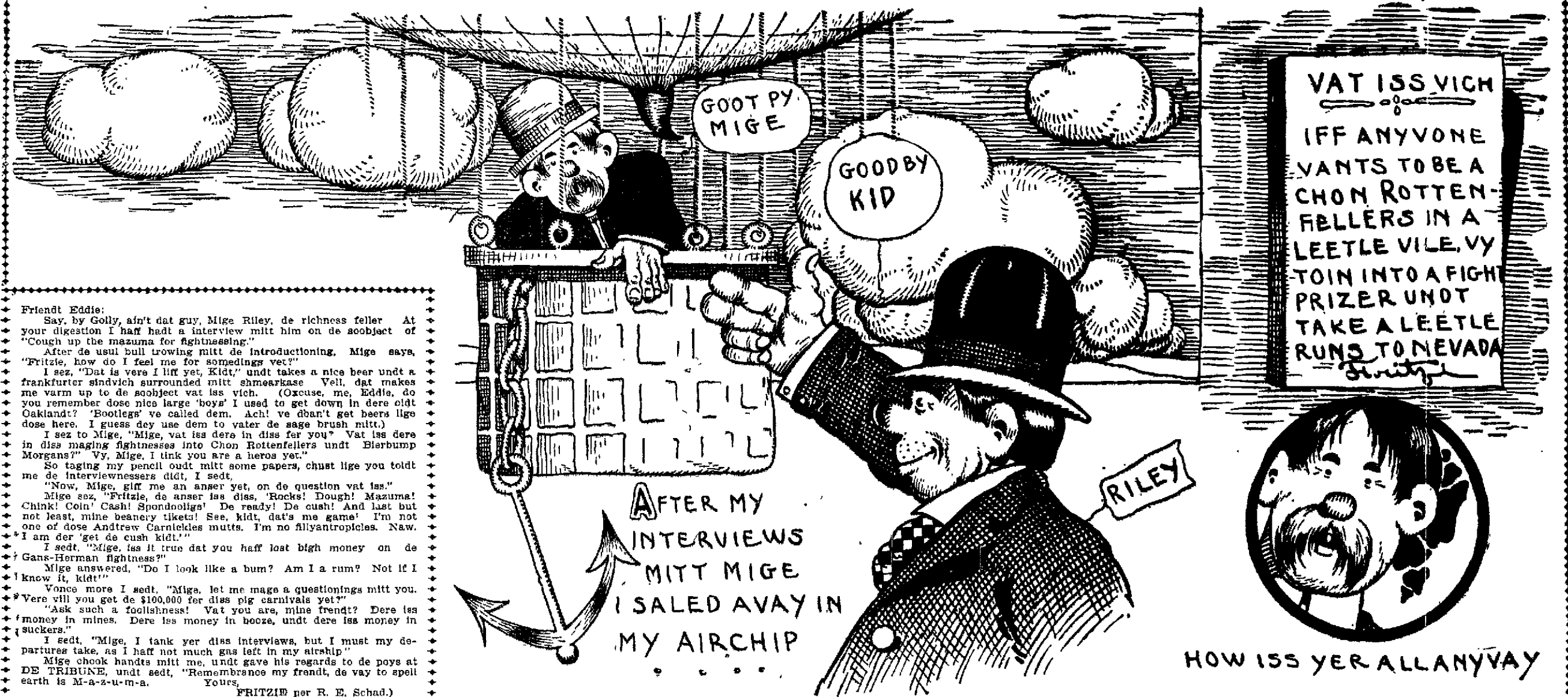
Now, Malzour was not the first fast horse Mr. Lloyd had owned, but he listened to Shank, because that driver has a sober, earnest way of saying things, and a little later, after he had driven Malzour a few trips down the speedway and elsewhere, it came to him that Shank had told him the exact thing that Shank had said him the exact truth. He cherished this thought all the years he owned Malzour, and the other day, finding that the gelding's speed was a little dulled by age so that he could no longer hold his own in the best flight of speedway trotters, the New Yorker sent him back to Shank, who has a stock farm in Ohio, with a not saying Malzour was Shank's for life.

The horse will be used for runabout purposes by the Ohio trainer, who is a very smart man, and in the year he will have the best of care, and when he is too old for any sort of easy jogging will be permitted to finish out his days in a comfortable paddock. All this because a horse-loving man wanted to see a faithful horse have happy days when his usefulness for fast driving is ended. But Mr. Lloyd is not the only man that looks after his high-priced horseflesh after it is a little on the wane. The Hamilton of Buffalo, who were not supposed to have much sentiment in such matters, bought their one-time star pacer, Hal Pointer, on the road in Detroit and gave him a home for Mr. Geers, who had driven the gelding to a world's record at the pace, using him as a buggy horse between his home, Le Roy, and the Hamilton farm, at East Aurora. One feature of the trip was that when the journey was ended, Geers would hand Hal Pointer an apple, which the horse would devour with relish. Geers says that if by any chance he failed to buy an apple ready at the proper time Hal Pointer would make a fuss about it, and that the only way to keep on good terms with him was to provide the daily lunch, which Geers faithfully did until the old horse died.

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THE ANTI-FIGHT BILL AS VIEWED BY THE TRIBUNE CARTOONIST.



"AFRAID TO PLAY" IS THE CHALLENGE OF ST. MARY'S

Mutual Charges of Professionalism Bid Fair to Injure College Baseball Season.

Intercollegiate baseball competition, so far as keener kind of rivalry is concerned, is this year sure to receive a setback unless the baseball authorities of St. Mary's and Santa Clara can come to an agreement. From present indications there appears but little hope of an adjustment of the difficulties.

In an article in one of the San Francisco dailies the Santa Clara end of the controversy was set forth at length. Briefly it is this: Brady, Enwright, Hamilton, Feeney and Duggan, of the Phoenix team, are charged with professionalism. Santa Clara insists that there be a wedding out in the St. Mary's ranks or there shall be no game this year.

It admits to having in its own personnel Joseph Collins, catcher of the Tacoma club of the Northwest league, and Charles Friene, a fielder of the San Jose State league team. They would have St. Mary's no more guilty than themselves, and will, in consequence, allow Duggan and Feeney, at one time Santa Clara students, with the proviso that Santa Clara retain Collins and Friene. Significantly, says St. Mary's, they select our professionals (?) but omit the heavy hitters.

ST. MARY'S FIRM.

St. Mary's, however, will not yield for various reasons. First, there never was an agreement between the two institutions as to the eligibility of players, except that bona fide students, not essentially professionals, who are registered by February first, be allowed to represent their respective institutions. This St. Mary's claims to have scrupulously complied with, and moreover, charges Santa Clara with having on its line-up one who is essentially professional, viz.,

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DEATH OF A GREAT HORSE LOSS TO AMERICAN TURF

Commando Occupied Fifteenth Place in Winning Sire List When He Died.

It fell to James R. Keene's Commando, by Donlin-Emme C., to occupy fifteenth place in the winning sire list. Like his famous sire this young horse died just as his youthful progeny began to demonstrate that nature had vested him with the qualities that insure greatness and enduring fame in the stud.

Commando was a Castleton bred and always the property of Mr. Keene. Foaled in 1928, he made his debut in racing as a two-year-old at Sheepshead Bay June 25, 1930, by defeating Holstein, King Pepper, Bedeck and Lief Prince in the Zephyr Stakes, running the mile and three-eighths in 1:39 2-5. His next and last race was in the Lawrence Realization at Sheepshead Bay, July 4, 1931. He was lame and unable to run up to his true form, but managed to finish second to The Pepper in this division. Handicapped behind him, he was retired and the following spring joined the hand of stallions at Castleton Stud. He was a great race horse and his untimely death was a deplorable loss to the American turf. His representative last year achieved the following results:

Horse	Abs.	Sts.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Unp.	Amt.
Compella	2	15	1	5	3	6	\$20
Kuroki	2	1	0	0	0	1	\$215
Months	2	1	1	1	1	1	\$50
Tramp	2	1	0	0	0	1	\$50
Nord	2	0	0	0	0	2	\$50
Oasis	2	2	0	0	0	2	\$250
Oyama	2	0	0	0	0	1	\$50
Peter Pan	2	3	4	1	2	2	\$2,650
Punky	2	3	0	0	0	1	\$100
Slippery	2	3	0	0	0	1	\$125
Superman	2	3	1	2	3	0	\$800
Zamboni	2	3	2	1	0	0	\$250
Total	2	118	17	20	15	66	\$57,420

Thirteen starters; eight winners.

BANTAM CHAMPIONSHIP IS SEEN IN TOMMY O'KEEFE

Many followers of the boxing game believe that Philadelphia has a future bantamweight champion in Tommy O'Keefe, a native son, who has performed brilliantly in his brief appearance before the public.

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JOCKEY LYNE TO RIDE IN ENGLAND

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Lucien Lyne has definitely decided that he will ride in England the coming season, and has practically closed an agreement with Richard Dawson, trainer for Lord Carnarvon, to ride for the nobleman's stable. While Lord Carnarvon will have first call on his services, he will be at liberty to accept other mounts. Lyne came to New York over a week ago especially to meet Dawson. He has had several conferences with the trainer, and once declared that he would not be able to come to terms. Better inducements, however, were offered by Dawson.

LATONIA TO HAVE SHORT MEET

The days of long race meetings at Latonia are probably past. Sporting men do not believe officials of the Midland course will again attempt an all-Summer meeting such as Latonia has supported in the last two years. Because of the objections raised by the merchants of Louisville last year, the Kentucky racing commission, it is said, will not countenance long meetings, either at Louisville or Cincinnati.

NEW WORLD'S RECORD WITH CUES

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 2.—A new world's record in three-cushion billiards was established here yesterday as the result of a contest in which Charles Noland defeated Jesse Lean in a professional handicap match by a score of twenty-five to fourteen and averaging 1.40 for the twenty-five points.

Noland's average was for twenty points, as he was allowed a five-point handicap, which was three points on Lean, who was allowed two points handicap. Noland made a high run of six, while Lean's was three.

He continued to go along this way, always shooting with ordinary "kicks," and when asked why he did not use bowling shoes said that he had tried it in one match and that he was beaten on a mile and would never attempt it again. For three years in championship and everything else he ducked bowling shoes, until finally he lost a match on the last shot, the break coming in the last frame of the eleventh and final game. He was going down to the foul line and slid over about an inch. A foul was called and he lost the count.

DEBRUTALIZED BOXING IS DEMAND OF BOXING PUBLIC

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—Patrons of boxing throughout the United States are demanding the debasement of the boxing game, just as the football rosters demanded changes in the rules to promote scientific and less dangerous play.

In boxing, as in football, the interested persons have come to believe that there is too much demanded of the players of the game in the way of casualties and injuries. To justify the satisfying of animal craving of spectators, it is the belief that some strong men, as President Roosevelt in football, should take hold of the situation and head public sentiment along the lines of reform.

Fighters, as a rule, are not brutal and bloodthirsty men. They do their best to hammer their opponents to pieces because they know that the way they will win. A portion of the spectators, those that make the loud noise, demand blood and slugging. The remainder prefer to see scientific battles.

It has been proposed to Manager McCarty that a standing commission of from three to five men be selected to go over the rules of boxing and revise to suit present demands. It is the important matter to settle is the weight question, but that is only secondary to the reforms along other lines.

The life of a fighter is a hard one, and on the brutal exhibitions of long fights the opposing portion of the public bases its campaign against boxing. The small gloves allow great punishment. Taking these things into consideration, the action demanded is:

WAY OF REFORMS.
To shorten bouts to six or ten rounds.
To increase the size of the gloves.
To provide for such a system of rendering decisions that each fighter in a contest will be given full justice.
To so arrange the classes that equals will meet equals and only equals.

To eliminate the gambling features as much as possible.
To so control the decorum at a boxing exhibition that the rowdy features will be eliminated and the entertainment will be acceptable to the better class of patrons.
Such action would change many things in the boxing line. It would put a premium on science and away with the Indians, and it is a class of rough-house fighter. Nelson's great stamina alone makes him of championship class. Hundreds of fighters can hit as hard as he and are far more clever, but they cannot absorb the punishment. Therefore they are defeated.

SUPERSTITIOUS BOWLERS ROLL ON EVERY ALLEY.

THE superstitious bowler is to be found in every town where they bowl. There is one bowler in the East who is about the limit for being superstitious, and he is considered one of the cracks at that. He is a match bowler and every time he shoots in a contest the gallery is there to see about the "hoodoo."

In one of his matches against a Philadelphia he went along swimmingly. For the first time of the match, then he hit the head pin right in the nose, but that would not have made much difference had he not noticed his opponent sitting with his fingers crossed. That started his finish, for every time he got a bad split after that he accused his opponent of "crossing his fingers on the shot," and he was beaten badly even before the match was near the end.



There is a Western bowler, a conspicuous figure at all the national tournaments, and who always is in the front rank in the city championships at Chicago, who at one time was one of the most superstitious shooters in the business. This bowler really began his good shooting in the national tournament at Buffalo several years ago, and it was here that he became infected with a "microbe." He was playing in a match outside the tournament and appeared attired in street shoes. He slipped all over the alley, but hit the pins and won the match by good rolling.

He continued to go along this way, always shooting with ordinary "kicks," and when asked why he did not use bowling shoes said that he had tried it in one match and that he was beaten on a mile and would never attempt it again. For three years in championship and everything else he ducked bowling shoes, until finally he lost a match on the last shot, the break coming in the last frame of the eleventh and final game. He was going down to the foul line and slid over about an inch. A foul was called and he lost the count.

MOST SUPERSTITIOUS.
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RILEY WILL MAKE GOOD BIG FIGHT CARNIVAL TALK FROM HIS OWN PURSE

Gambler Is Making \$20,000 a Month and Will Take a Chance on Britt-Gans Fight Even if a Heavy Loser.

By EDDIE SMITH.

It will be remembered that last Sunday, I told my readers that the talk of Mike Riley running out on the Britt-Gans fight was undoubtedly an unfounded rumor started by persons not acquainted with the Tonopah impresario. Now Riley has come out in an interview at Seattle and announced that the rumor was started by some San Francisco knuckers who are afraid that the Nevada promoters will seriously injure the boxing game on the coast. He also said that he would see the fight through and that he was not being backed by anyone who could withdraw financial aid and that he personally was responsible for the Casino Athletic club and that he would put up the \$25,000 purse himself and more, if it was necessary.

Riley, it may seem to some, is bluffing a little, but I am of the opinion that he will and can carry the proposed fight carnival through. He has a business in Tonopah that, judging from the figures shown me of Tex Rickard's business at Goldfield, must net him at least \$15,000 or \$20,000 a month.

Of course, this will not last forever, and no one can tell how soon it will pan out, but Riley is no different from other gamblers and is willing to take big chances with his money while it lasts. It will not be long now before he reaches San Francisco and then the forfeits undoubtedly will be posted and we will know positively whether Nevada has panned out as a Bonanza for the fighters. Meanwhile Jimmy Britt goes merrily on with his training.

AMATEUR SHOWS.

Nevada is not the only thing that is injuring the fight game in San Francisco and the members of the defunct fight trust would do well to ponder a little over their actions for the past year. However, the Nevada promoters and trust have not done the damage that the so-called amateur shows have. It has become a by-word among the Frisco and local fans that one witnesses more action at an amateur show for a cheap price than can be seen at



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a twenty round contest for a larger admission price. The poor class of professional shows that have been handed out the last twelve months has not been of a class to warrant arguments against the assertion and doubtless for some time to come the pugs who, in former days, looked upon San Francisco as a place where big purses grew on trees, will find that they will be fighting for small purses.

FUTURE OF GAME.

When one is figuring on the future of the boxing game and what the next year will bring, you are at all times brought back to the query, what will the Legislature do with Hartman's anti-fight bill?

The bill may go through and it may, as some think, be killed in the committee and never come up for a reading. No matter how it goes, Hartman has shown his true colors and for the gentlemen that compose the present Legislature of this great State to pass favorably on a bill presented by a man of Hartman's caliber is to place a premium on hypocrisy.

It is not necessary to dwell long on the subject as Hartman has already received all the scorching coming to any single individual, but it is hard to mention his name when one knows what his actions in the fight game have been as well as I, without at least saying that he is not only deserving of no support on his prejudiced bill, but is not even worthy of consideration as a man who would introduce a reform bill if it was not backed by malice.

His insincerity vouches for him 2 Eddie Smith and causes one to believe all that

RACING IN LAND OF CZAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Despite the great drain upon the financial resources of Russia because of the war with Japan and the internal troubles through which the country is passing, there is plenty of money for patronage of both branches of racing—the running and the trotting turf.

R. V. Coble, an American trainer, who for the last four years has been in Russia in charge of one of the most important stables in that land, says: "I have seen 37,000 persons present at a trotting race there. It is the belief of some of the Yankee trainers now in Russia that so good are the Russian bred trotters, the produce in part of American stallions, that the best in that country could come back to America and win. Betting is done mainly through the partmutuel, though in the clubs some of the highest betting imaginable is going on during the races. The odds are established by a sort of auction pool system.

"Very few races at less than a mile are run in Russia. During the months of July and August the racing programs call for the distribution of more than one and one-half million rubles, or \$765,000. I have seen racing there begin on an afternoon at 2 o'clock and continue until 10 o'clock in the evening. The light is good up to the hour mentioned."

AGED CYCLIST HAS GREAT RECORD

A contest seems to be on to decide who is entitled to the title of "The Grand Old Man of the Wheel," with Thomas W. Davis of Illinois and W. W. Haller of Denver as the contestants. Both men are in their eightieth year, and both are devoted cyclists.

Mr. Haller waited until he was 73 before tackling the wheel, and with all the enthusiasm of a convert he broke a rib and otherwise damaged himself before he mastered his mount. He rides daily and makes a century every little while, just to show that he is game.

Mr. Davis seems justly entitled to the world's record for distance riding, for he claims to have made the enormous score of 119,364 miles, all ridden since he was 61. His bicycle is an Englishman, and back in 1888 saw a man riding that well-known two-wheeled vehicle called a "Dandy Horse"—one of the bicycle's forebears.

In 1884 he built himself a bicycle with a couple of carriage wheels, and since that day has owned eleven sorts of bicycles. That the wheel is an undoubted health-maker can be proved in his case, as in the past twenty years he has not lost over sixty days in illness. If there are any other veterans who can show better claim to the title, it behooves them to come to the front quickly.

has been told regarding the real reason he has introduced such a bill.

YOUNG CORBETT'S HOPES.

According to the telegraphic reports Young Corbett is on his way to Nevada in hope of getting on in a contest for a large purse. For persistency the Denverite is a wonder. He has matched himself with two men and waited for a bid for the contest in vain. Now he and his manager, Harry Pollock, are on their way to the mining towns and as they are both past masters at "bull con" talk, it would not be surprising to hear that the ex-champion and one time great fighter, was on for one of Riley's carnival attractions.

CASE OF MCGOVERN.
Now that the monster benefit

FRENCH OUT FOR DERBY HONORS

Word has come from France, that M. Edmund Blanc, the great racing man and rival of W. K. Vanderbilt, is preparing for another vigorous attack on the English Derby and Oaks of this year. It is said he has two slashing colts in Ousdi Talfa and Myram, a bay colt by Flying Fox out of Ails and Graces. Ousdi Talfa is a brown colt by Persimmon out of Yesseler, a mare by Sterling out of Yesseler, by Blenkhoolie out of Valle by Zuyder Zee out of Queen of Beauty, by Melbourne.

This son of Persimmon is spoken of as being an animal of great power and promise. He ran four times last year and showed erratic form. On September 1 at Chantilly he was beaten half a length by Ferned, a smart colt by Patron. About two weeks later in the Prix de Bard at Maisons-Laffitte, Ousdi Talfa showed a splendid turn of speed and won easily from a high-class field, the distance being five and a half furlongs. On September 22 at Longchamps the crack was pulled out again and he did not disappoint the impression he had already created in the minds of the critics, for he beat a field of twenty-three opponents by four lengths.

Then, somehow or other, Ousdi Talfa went off color, for on the same course on October 6, he could only make third to Calopel and La Serpentine. Critics who saw the event say that the Blanc colt was interfered with early in the race and lost ground which he never could quite make up. There were twenty-three starters and Ousdi Talfa was the favorite.

HOW HORSES ARE DOPED TO WIN

Much is heard of "doped horses" on a race track. The manner in which these horses are "doped" is explained by a prominent veterinarian:

"No one is likely to be caught in the act of doping a race horse, because the dose given is so small it can be administered with little danger of detection long before the race. If a horse is to race at 3 o'clock he gets a two-grain powder on his tongue in a darkened stall at 1 o'clock. The drug takes effect in about thirty minutes and the animal breaks out into a sweat. He is rubbed down, cooled out and done up as if he had come in from morning work. Every effort is made to keep him quiet until post time, but he very often breaks out again and is again cooled out. The doped horse never takes any warming up work, and this fact affords the best means I know of for finding him out. He is moved slowly to the starting point, great care being taken to prevent him from becoming excited until the flag is dropped. Then a kick and a dig do the work and in an instant the full force of the dope is felt, stimulating the animal to run the race of his life.

Through some manner he became Terry McGovern, and as the little fellow fought his way to fame and fortune, Harris likewise amassed a fortune. True, he was a good and careful manager and perhaps helped in no small measure to make Terry the famous terror he is in his day because but, still, the fact remains that it was through McGovern that Harris became what he is today, manager of George Cohan's road shows and a very wealthy man.

How much better it would have been for Harris to have quietly made some provision for the little fellow's family than to pose as a philanthropist and advertise his one time meat ticket as an object of charity the country over.

When Terry McGovern was making a start in Brooklyn, Sam Harris was a race track tout.

ENGLISH MAN MADE GOOD SHOWING

Many competent boxing critics who attended the McGovern benefit in the garden Wednesday night were favorably impressed with the exhibition of Spilke Robson, the acknowledged featherweight champion of England, says the New York Sun. Robson is splendidly built, is wonderfully clever and fast, and looks as if he could hit hard with either hand. To the Sun man he declared that he had come to America to fight, not to act. He declared that he wanted to meet Abe Attell, the American featherweight champion, in a finish contest at 126 pounds ringside, the regular limit in this class prevailing at all English boxing clubs. Robson stated that if Attell would not accept his challenge he would take on Tommy Murphy of Harlem or Young Corbett at catch weights, or he would meet Nelson, Britt or Herman at 133 pounds ringside. Robson met Murphy in Philadelphia last year and the latter was easy for him. Murphy, however, has agreed to tackle the English champion again in Quakertown on February 20th in a six-round bout, for which the Harlequin pugilist will receive a \$1500 guarantee.

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FIGHTS IN ELY.

Rickard, by the way, doesn't purpose pitching the Gans-Nelson ring in Goldfield next time. Tex has large interests at Ely, the new copper camp in Nevada, and if his plans go through he will bring the lightweights together at Ely on the afternoon of next Fourth of July. He has already sounded the railroad on the matter of transportation and has decided that it will be easy to arrange excursions from Salt Lake as well as from California and Nevada points.

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LOCAL BOWLERS ROLLING FINE PRACTICE SCORES

COTTAGE COLONY AT COUNTRY CLUB

SINGLE MEMBERS WILL LIVE NEAR BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS.

Archery Among Many Pastimes Now Enjoyed at Popular Club.

The Claremont Country club was first organized January 24, 1903, by twenty members of the old Oakland Golf club for the purpose of promoting social intercourse among and to furnish "pleasure, happiness and health to its members," also to encourage and create interest in and the practice of golf, lawn tennis, baseball, football, la crosse, hare and hounds, polo, trap and pigeon shooting, riding, driving, billiards, and all other outdoor and indoor sports.

After looking over the various properties on the market the board of directors purchased the former Livermore residence with ground to the extent of 100 acres—for the sum of \$100,000.

As soon as the club took the property in hand improvements were begun, which have increased the value of the property nearly fourfold—till now it is worth nearly \$400,000. The following gentlemen were the original promoters of the club, and it is largely due to their untiring energy that the club has proved such a success:

Edwin Goodall, P. E. Bowles, F. W. Van Sicken, S. B. McKee, G. W. McNear, Jr., Wm. P. Johnson, George E. De Golia, A. S. Blake, J. H. Ames, A. S. MacDonald, C. M. Gayley, A. H. Higgins, J. R. Hutchinson, E. R. Folger, C. O. G. Miller, C. M. Goodall, Arthur Goodall, C. M. Cooper, A. Schilling.

OPENING OF CLUB.
The Claremont residence, when acquired by the club, was valued at over \$50,000, and after adding nearly \$20,000 more it is a veritable palace and has no equal in America. The club was formally opened on December 2, 1904.

The membership of the club is limited to 500, with a life membership of 35. At the present time there are forty names on the list waiting admission.

The club is holding dances every Saturday evening and has just completed the new annex, which has a magnificent ballroom, 80x60 feet, with a bowling alley, a shooting gallery in the basement and card and billiard rooms above.

The golf links are in splendid condition and are patronized daily by many lovers of the game. Among those on the links frequently are Messrs. F. C. Newton, Wm. Pierce Johnson, E. R. Folger, Rev. E. Baker, Prof. Chas. Mills Galey, A. H. Higgins and many others.

ARCHERY POPULAR.
Archery is another sport that is rapidly forging to the front and is in favor by both sexes. Among the most ardent archers are Mrs. and Mr. H. H. Smith, Mrs. and Mr. Van Der Ropp, Mrs. and Mr. H. H. Sherwin, Miss Kyles, Miss Knowles and Mr. J. O. Cadman.

Tennis and racquet are enjoyed to its full extent by many of the people, among whom are Ella De Golia, H. H. Haight, C. P. Hubbard, H. R. Sherwood, Miss Arline Johnson, Miss Josie Johnson and many others.

The annual election of officers for the coming year will be held at the club room Monday evening, February 25, at 8 p. m. The retiring board is as follows: Frank M. Wilson, president; Tyler Henshaw, vice president; Harry Knowles, secretary-treasurer; George F. Greenwood, Alfred von der Rapp, G. R. Folger and W. E. Taylor.

There are quite a number of the unmarried members who are having cottages erected on the property adjoining where they will sleep and be able to make the club their home in every respect and sell their present residences in this city.

LOOKS LIKE A SECOND JEFF
"Biddy" Bishop, the fight promoter, who is now engaged in the publication of a weekly sporting paper at Spokane, is of the opinion that he has under his tutelage the only man in the world who will ever knock out James J. Jeffries. His protégé is Earl H. Clayton, a yearling old, 5 feet 1 inch tall and weighing 210 pounds.

Clayton was born in Nebraska. Bishop ran across him at Palouse, Wash., where Clayton was conducting a blacksmith shop. The brawny youth expressed a desire to become a pugilist, and Bishop, who was a pugilist himself, was of the opinion that he was rather handy with his "dukes." Subsequently a series of letters passed between the men, with the result that Clayton came to Spokane, abandoned his profession and is actively training for a pugilistic career.

Gans' favor on a foul that didn't occur, and which Siler couldn't have seen if it really had occurred.

But "what will they say in England" when the news is wafted across the water that Gans is perfectly willing to give Nelson satisfaction, and that Nelson, by his actions, isn't quite sure he wants it?

SPOKE ANGRY WORD.
About the only thing now in Gans-Britt circles is that Mike Riley of Tonopah has spoken angry words over the doubts cast upon his ability to carry through his March program. Riley, who was at Seattle recently, said that

THE TRIBUNE FORM CHART.

EMERYVILLE, Feb. 2, 1907.—67th day.—Weather, rainy; track, sloppy.
E. C. HOPPER, Presiding Judge — RICHARD DWYER, Starter.

456 FIRST RACE—Four furlongs; two-year-olds. Purses, \$400.

Ind.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
438	Love of Gold (S. C. Hildreth)	108	4	...	...	...	4:25 1/2	1 1/2	L. Williams	4-5	11-20
439	Abbey (H. T. Griffin)	108	5	...	...	...	5:04 1/2	2 1/4	Horner	8	10
440	Jeremiah (Keene Bros.)	108	6	...	...	...	5:08 1/2	3 1/4	W. Miller	8	10
441	Wilmore (C. T. Griffin)	108	7	...	...	...	5:10 1/2	4 1/4	Graham	8	10
442	Exchequer (Keene Bros.)	111	1	...	...	...	5:14 1/2	5 1/4	W. Dugan	10	20
443	St. Avon (C. Winchell)	112	1	...	...	...	5:18 1/2	6 1/4	Phillips	10	20
444	St. Bernard (B. Schieber)	107	1	...	...	...	5:22 1/2	7 1/4	Sandy	10	20

Coupled with Abbey. Coupled with Jeremiah. Gold, place 1st; show, 1st. Griffin entry, place 2, show, 2. Keene entry, show, out. Separate betting—Abbey, place, 1st; show, 1st. Time—2:23 1/2. At post 3 1/2 minutes. Off at 1:45. Start good; won in a drive. Winner, ob. L. by Gold. Finch—Abbey, place 2nd; show, 2nd. Gold came on when ready; won cleverly at the end. Abbey closed resolutely. Jeremiah in deep going; tired last furlong. Wilmore quit. Exchequer showed speed; not quite ready; tab him. Others showed nothing.

457 SECOND RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; selling; four-year-olds and up. Purses, \$400.

Ind.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
451	Laura P. M. (C. E. Durnell)	122	6	...	...	...	4:14 1/2	1 1/2	W. Miller	4-5	9-10
452	John (E. J. Ramsey)	122	7	...	...	...	4:18 1/2	2 1/4	R. Davis	8	10
453	Swaggar (H. T. Griffin)	122	8	...	...	...	4:22 1/2	3 1/4	Horner	8	10
454	Dr. Sherman (A. J. E. Hoppas)	124	8	...	...	...	4:26 1/2	4 1/4	F. Kelly	12	25
455	Santa Ray (J. P. Clifford)	118	4	...	...	...	4:30 1/2	5 1/4	A. Brown	8	10
456	Reprebete (H. T. Griffin)	124	5	...	...	...	4:34 1/2	6 1/4	Graham	8	10
457	The Reprebete (H. T. Griffin)	124	5	...	...	...	4:38 1/2	7 1/4	W. Dugan	10	20
458	Greenore (W. R. Campbell)	124	7	...	...	...	4:42 1/2	8 1/4	Coway	10	20

Winner bid up from \$20 to \$100 by W. Cain but was retained. Laura, place 1st; show, 1st. Swaggar, show, 2. Time—2:41 1/2. At post 3 1/2 minutes. Off at 2:05. Start good; won easily. Stopping. Winner, b. m. by Ben Strome—Stapelia, trained by C. E. Durnell. Scratches—Silver Sue, Bell Reed, Dr. Scharif, Nattie Hoke. Laura always wait up; ran over pacemaker in stretch, winning easily. Judge ran his race. Swaggar hung on gamely. Sherman slow to get going; ran a fair race. Hesein stopped last quarter. Reprebete a flash of speed.

458 THIRD RACE—Futurity Course; three-year-olds and up. Purses, \$500.

Ind.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
418	Mary F. (W. B. Jennings)	109	1	...	...	...	4:14 1/2	1 1/2	Sandy	11-5	12-5
419	Nonie Lucille (A. McCafferty)	108	5	...	...	...	4:18 1/2	2 1/4	W. Miller	6-5	11-5
420	Supreme Court (H. T. Griffin)	108	6	...	...	...	4:22 1/2	3 1/4	Graham	8	10
421	Claudlight (G. Moleira & Co.)	107	6	...	...	...	4:26 1/2	4 1/4	McBride	6	11-5
422	Marion Rose (J. P. de Lacy)	112	2	...	...	...	4:30 1/2	5 1/4	Buxton	10	9
423	Spring Ban (M. R. Williams)	103	4	...	...	...	4:34 1/2	6 1/4	Flannery	10	20

Mary, place 1st; show, 1st. Lucille, place 4th; show, 1st. Court, show, 3. Time—2:41 1/2. At post 3 1/2 minutes. Off at 2:05. Start good; won easily. Stopping. Winner, b. m. by Canopus—Princess Norotti, trained by W. B. Jennings. Mary had the speed; hung on gamely. Lucille shut out, passing the five-furlong mark, and in the worst going all the way. Court no excuse. Claudlight had early speed; quit badly. Rose early speed. Ban belongs elsewhere.

459 FOURTH RACE—One and one-half miles; California Oaks; three-year-olds. Purses, \$200 added.

Ind.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
440	Budora (H. R. Schaffer)	112	2	...	...	...	1:14 1/2	1 1/2	W. Dugan	6-5	11-5
441	Grace (H. T. Griffin)	112	3	...	...	...	1:18 1/2	2 1/4	W. Miller	8	10
442	Miss Officious (H. Schieber)	112	4	...	...	...	1:22 1/2	3 1/4	Graham	8	10
443	Dolls Dollars (H. M. Mason)	117	10	...	...	...	1:26 1/2	4 1/4	Sandy	9-5	18-5
444	Dr. R. R. Griffin (H. T. Griffin)	112	11	...	...	...	1:30 1/2	5 1/4	Horner	8	10
445	Paodella (J. P. Davis)	107	8	...	...	...	1:34 1/2	6 1/4	Williams	30	50
446	Koro (P. Albertson)	112	7	...	...	...	1:38 1/2	7 1/4	Phillips	10	20
447	Rose (F. J. Neil)	112	9	...	...	...	1:42 1/2	8 1/4	R. Davis	10	20
448	Atone (Frank Rose)	108	10	...	...	...	1:46 1/2	9 1/4	R. Davis	10	20
449	Mabel Hollander (H. Stover)	112	11	...	...	...	1:50 1/2	10 1/4	McBride	10	20

Budora, place 5th; show, even. Grace G., place 9th; show, 2-5. Officious, place 1-2. Time—2:23 1/2. At post 3 1/2 minutes. Off at 3:03. Start poor; won in a drive. Winner, b. f., by Flaxite—The Boyden, trained by W. R. Rice. Scratches—Hollander, Bogan, Davis slow to begin; ran over field in stretch. Alarie outran first part, closed stoutly. Orphan third last part. Watchful quit. Jackrill had early speed but stopped badly.

460 FIFTH RACE—One and one-half miles; selling; three-year-olds and up. Purses, \$400.

Ind.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
440	Gov. Davis (H. R. Rice)	104	1	...	...	...	1:24 1/2	1 1/2	Sandy	8	6-5
441	Alarie (J. E. Case)	104	2	...	...	...	1:28 1/2	2 1/4	J. Hayes	10	15
442	Orphan (H. T. Griffin)	108	3	...	...	...	1:32 1/2	3 1/4	Davis	7-5	12-5
443	Jackrill (G. P. McNeill)	108	4	...	...	...	1:36 1/2	4 1/4	Horner	8	10
444	Dolls Dollars (H. M. Mason)	117	5	...	...	...	1:40 1/2	5 1/4	Sandy	14	16
445	Dr. R. R. Griffin (H. T. Griffin)	112	6	...	...	...	1:44 1/2	6 1/4	Williams	10	16
446	Paodella (J. P. Davis)	107	7	...	...	...	1:48 1/2	7 1/4	Phillips	10	16
447	Koro (P. Albertson)	112	8	...	...	...	1:52 1/2	8 1/4	R. Davis	10	16
448	Rose (F. J. Neil)	112	9	...	...	...	1:56 1/2	9 1/4	R. Davis	10	16
449	Atone (Frank Rose)	108	10	...	...	...	2:00 1/2	10 1/4	McBride	10	16

Davis, place 7th; show, out. Alarie, place 3; show, 7-5. Orphan, show, 1-2. Time—2:41 1/2. At post 3 1/2 minutes. Off at 3:27. Start good; won in a drive. Winner, b. f., by Flaxite—The Boyden, trained by W. R. Rice. Scratches—Hollander, Bogan, Davis slow to begin; ran over field in stretch. Alarie outran first part, closed stoutly. Orphan third last part. Watchful quit. Jackrill had early speed but stopped badly.

461 SIXTH RACE—One and one-half miles; The Andria Handicap; three-year-olds and up. Purses, \$1000.

Ind.	Horse and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
440	Beeswood (D. S. Fountain)	121	1	1:24 1/2	1 1/2	Sandy	11-5	12-5
441	Gov. Davis (H. R. Rice)	104	2	1:28 1/2	2 1/4	J. Hayes	10	15
442	Alarie (J. E. Case)	104	3	1:32 1/2	3 1/4	Davis	7-5	12-5
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444	Dolls Dollars (H. M. Mason)	117	5	1:40 1/2	5 1/4	Sandy	14	16
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447	Koro (P. Albertson)	112	8	1:52 1/2	8 1/4	R. Davis	10	16
448	Rose (F. J. Neil)	112	9	1:56 1/2	9 1/4	R. Davis	10	16
449	Atone (Frank Rose)	108	10	2:00 1/2	10 1/4	McBride	10	16

Beeswood, place 1st; show, 2-1. Faust, place 1-2; show, out. Dorado, show, out. Time—2:41 1/2. At post 3 1/2 minutes. Off at 3:54. Start good; won in a drive. Winner, b. f., by Flaxite—The Boyden, trained by W. R. Rice. Scratches—Hollander, Bogan, Davis slow to begin; ran over field in stretch. Alarie outran first part, closed stoutly. Orphan third last part. Watchful quit. Jackrill had early speed but stopped badly.

ENTRIES FOR MONDAY

FIRST RACE—Three and one-half furlongs; selling; two-year-olds:
365 *Crystal Wave.....103
414 Sweetland.....105
313 Charlotte.....105
*Gaterlight.....103
(J. J. Quinlan) ch. c.
McLight-Alary Garter.....105
444 Albia.....105
430 *Valoski.....100
(444) Billy Watkins.....111
Rio Vista.....111
(Oakland Stable) ch. f.
St. Avonius-Resignation.....111
242 Raleigh.....111

SECOND RACE—Futurity course; selling:
326 *Titus II.....110
440 Eduardo.....124
397 *M. A. Powell.....122
441 Princess Wheeler.....122
442 Yo San.....122
302 Sacredus.....124
443 Santa Ray.....123
457 Hesein.....127
295 Thelock.....124
451 *Chappagua.....122
230 Comiffo.....120

THIRD RACE—Futurity course; selling; three-year-olds:
384 Duke of Orleans.....105
351 Davis Weber.....101
464 *Mile.....101
454 *Peerless Lass.....95
(445) *Mitte.....105
446 Mechat.....112
464 Bushthorpe.....110
458 *Marion Rose.....104
448 Blanche C.....107
Tea Tray II.....105

FOURTH RACE—One mile and fifty yards; selling; three-year-olds and upward:
440 Warte Night.....103
442 Captain Burnett.....95
443 St. George Jr.....109
283 Anvil.....100
392 *Early Hours.....88
9847 *Wendie.....96
441 Beeswood.....95
441 The Borgian.....104

FIFTH RACE—One mile and twenty yards; selling; four-year-olds and upward:
447 Duellist.....109
447 *Monaco Maid.....102
350 Byronerdale.....109
461 Sir Carter.....109
446 Daniel C.....104
(452) *Hilford.....104
417 Almie Boy.....104
436 Trapsetter.....112
446 Ray Dare.....109
443 Alice Carey.....102
463 Box Elder.....109
436 *Fury.....104

SIXTH RACE—Five furlongs; purse; three-year-olds and upward:
(53) Glendenning.....105
431 Instructor.....108
(431) Biags.....99
8567 Mill Stone.....97
403 Rose Pompon.....97
(374) Balitor.....109
431 Isolation.....99
315 Tocolaw.....108
230 Aaron J.....105
448 *Night the Bear.....99
Corn Blossom.....108

ASCOT CLASSIC GOES TO LONG SHOT

JERSEY LADY HELD AT 13 TO 1 TAKES OAKS FROM FAVORITE.

Takes Lead of Three Lengths But Wins Tired by Only A Head.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—The Ascot Oaks, the first real classic of the season, was won by James R. Pyries' Jersey Lily at odds of 13 to 1. Milshora, the 8-to-5 favorite, was much the best and with any sort of racing luck would have won. As it was she made a head finish with the winner.

Thirteen started in the event. The play was very evenly divided, with Milshora always the favorite. First Peep, opening at 10 to 1, was heavily played and closed at 5 to 1. Kirkfield Belle was backed from 8 to 5 to 1 by the Canadian contingent.

Starter Jake Holtman made a perfect start. The field swept away from the barrier like a cavalry charge. Around the far turn Jersey Lady was leading by three lengths, with Kirkfield Belle second, Lady Kitty third and Milshora in eighth position.

Riley tried to get through on the rail with Milshora, suffered slight interference, but came on, running into sixth position at the last quarter pole. Swinging for home Riley took Milshora to the outside and called on her for all she had, and the filly came on gamely, running over horses in the stretch. The whole grandstand was rooting for the game favorite, but though she closed like a whirlwind, she was beaten a head by the fast-tiring pacemaker. Viola B., coupled in the betting with the winner, finished third, and the rest of the field was strung out.

The two-year-old event went to Albion H. Knapp gave Dewey a great ride in the second race, winning by a head from Cadichon. Summary: Weather cloudy; track fast.

First race, purse, three furlongs—Albion H. 109 (Knapp) won, 5 to 1; Sweet Taira 112 (Bullman), 2 to 1; second, Conale M. 109 (Preston), 1 to 2; third, Time, 1:42 1/2.

Second race, purse, one mile—Dewey 110 (Knapp), even, won; Cadichon 107 (McDaniel), 5 to 2, place, 4 to 5, show, second; Sheriff Bell 110 (Fischer), 8 to 1, show, third. Time, 1:42 1/2.

Third race, purse, one mile—Round Dance 105 (McDaniel), 8 to 1, won; Judge Nelson 98 (Quarrington), 8 to 5, place, 3 to 5, show, second; Little Minister 102 (Lawrence), 2 to 1, show, third. Time, 1:42 1/2.

Fourth race, one mile, The Ascot Oaks, \$1500 added—Jersey Lady (C. Koerner), 13 to 1, won; Milshora (D. Riley), 8 to 5, second; Viola B. (Finn), coupled with the winner, third. Time, 1:42 1/2.

Fifth race, one mile and an eighth, free handicap—Standover (C. Koerner), 3 to 1, won; Silicho (H. Smith), 5 to 1, second; Reservation (D. Ross), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:54 1/2.

Sixth race, seven furlongs—Canoplan (W. Fischer), 4 to 1, won; Merlingo (Preston), 5 to 1, second; Collition (McDaniel), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 1/2.

YOUNG GOULD MARVEL AT TENNIS

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Jay Gould, the 17-year-old son of George J. Gould, has outstripped all other court tennis players of his age. He is a phenomenon at the game. Gould is the amateur champion of America, and has

SALOME

A TRAGEDY IN ONE ACT—BY OSCAR WILDE

(Continued from Page Nine)

Salome—Jokanaan!

Jokanaan—Who speaketh?

Salome—I am amorous of thy body, Jokanaan! Thy body is white like the lilies of a field that the mower hath never mowed. Thy body is white like the snows that lie on the mountains of Judaea, and come down into the valleys. The roses in the garden of the Queen of Arabia are not so white as thy body. Neither the roses of the garden of the Queen of Arabia, the garden of spices of the Queen of Arabia, nor the feet of the dawn when they light on the leaves, nor the breast of the moon when she lies on the breast of the sea. . . . There is nothing in the world so white as thy body. Suffer me to touch thy body.

Jokanaan—Back! daughter of Babylon! By woman came evil into the world. Speak not to me. I will not listen to thee. I listen but to the voice of the Lord God.

Salome—Thy body is hideous. It is the body of a leper. It is like a plastered wall where vipers have crawled; like a plastered wall where scorpions have made their nest. It is like a whitened sepulchre full of loathsome things. It is horrible, thy body is horrible. It is thy hair that I am enamoured of, Jokanaan. Thy hair is like clusters of grapes, like the clusters of black grapes that hang from the vine-trees of Edom in the land of the Edomites. Thy hair is like the cedars of Lebanon, like the great cedars of Lebanon that give their shade to the lions and to the robbers who would hide them by day. The long black nights, when the moon hides her face, when the stars are afraid, are not so black as thy hair. The silence that dwells in the forest is not so black. There is nothing in the world that is so black as thy hair. . . . Suffer me to touch thy hair.

Jokanaan—Back, daughter of Sodom! Touch me not. Profane not the temple of the Lord God.

Salome—Thy hair is horrible. It is covered with mire and dust. It is like a knot of serpents coiled round thy neck. I love not thy hair. . . . It is thy mouth that I desire, Jokanaan. Thy mouth is like a band of scarlet on a tower of ivory. It is like a pomegranate cut in twain with a knife of ivory. The pomegranate-flowers that blossom in the gardens of Tyre, and are redder than roses, are not so red. Thy mouth is redder than the feet of the doves who inhabit the temples and are fed by the priests. It is redder than the feet of him who cometh from a forest where he hath slain a lion, and seen gilded tigers. Thy mouth is like a branch of coral that fishers have found in the twilight of the sea, the coral that they keep for the kings! . . . It is like the vermilion that the Moabites find in the mines of Moab, the vermilion that the kings take from them. It is like the bow of the King of the Persians, that is painted with vermilion, and is tipped with coral. There is nothing in the world so red as thy mouth. . . . Suffer me to kiss thy mouth.

Jokanaan—Never! daughter of Babylon! Daughter of Sodom! Never.

Salome—I will kiss thy mouth, Jokanaan. I will kiss thy mouth.

The Young Syrian—Princess, Princess, thou who art like a garden of myrrh, thou who art the dove of all doves, look not at this man. Look not at him! Do not speak such words to him. I cannot endure it. . . . Princess, do not speak these things.

Salome—I will kiss thy mouth, Jokanaan.

The Young Syrian—Ah! [He kills himself and falls between Salome and Jokanaan.]

The Page of Herodias—The young Syrian has slain himself! The young captain has slain himself! He has slain himself who was my friend! I gave him a little box of perfumes and ear-rings wrought in silver, and now he has killed himself! Ah, did he not say that some misfortune would happen? I too said it, and it has come to pass. Well I knew that the moon was seeking a dead thing, but I knew not that it was he whom she sought. Ah! why did I not hide him from the moon? If I had hidden him in a cavern she would not have seen him.

First Soldier—Princess, the young captain has just slain himself.

Salome—Suffer me to kiss thy mouth, Jokanaan.

Jokanaan—Art thou not afraid, daughter of Herodias? Did I not tell thee that I had heard in the palace the beatings of the wings of the angel of death, and hath he not come, the angel of death?

Salome—Suffer me to kiss thy mouth.

Jokanaan—Daughter of adultery, there is but one who can save thee, it is He of whom I spoke. Go seek Him. He is in a boat on the sea of Galilee, and He talketh with His disciples. Kneel down on the shore of the sea, and call unto Him by His name. When He cometh to thee (and to all who call on Him He cometh), bow thyself at His feet and ask of Him the remissions of thy sins.

Salome—Suffer me to kiss thy mouth.

Jokanaan—Cursed be thou! daughter of an incestuous mother, be thou cursed!

Salome—I will kiss thy mouth, Jokanaan.

Jokanaan—I will not look at thee, thou art accursed, Salome, thou art accursed. [He goes down into the cistern.]

Salome—I will kiss thy mouth, Jokanaan; I will kiss thy mouth.

First Soldier—We must bear away the body to another place. The Tetrarch does not care to see dead bodies, save the bodies of those whom he himself has slain.

The Page of Herodias—He was my brother, and nearer to me than a brother. I gave him a little box full of perfumes, and a ring of agate that he wore always on his hand. In the evening we were wont to walk by the river, and among the almond trees, and he used to tell me of the things of his country. He spoke ever very low. The sound of his voice was like the sound of the flute, of one who playeth upon the flute. Also he had much joy to gaze at himself in the river. I used to reproach him for that.

Second Soldier—You are right; we must hide the body. The Tetrarch must not see it.

First Soldier—The Tetrarch will not come to this place. He never comes on the terrace. He is too much afraid of the prophet.

[Enter Herod, Herodias, and all the Court.]

Herod—Where is Salome? Where is the Princess? Why did she not return to the banquet as I commanded her? Ah, there she is!

Herodias—You must not look at her! You are always looking at her!

Herod—The moon has a strange look tonight. Has she not a strange look? She is like a mad woman who is seeking everywhere for lovers. She is naked too. She is quite naked. The clouds are seeking to clothe her nakedness, but she will not let them. She shows herself naked in the sky. She reels through the clouds like a drunken woman. . . . I am sure she

is looking for lovers. Does she not reel like a drunken woman? She is like a mad woman, is she not?

Herodias—No; the moon is like the moon, that is all. Let us go within. . . . We have nothing to do here.

Herod—I will stay here! Manasseh, lay carpets there. Light torches, bring forth the ivory table, and the tables of jasper. The air here is sweet. I will drink more wine with my guests. We must show all honours to the ambassadors of Caesar.

Herodias—It is not because of them that you remain.

Herod—Yes; the air is very sweet. Come, Herodias, our guests await us. Ah! I have slipped! I have slipped in blood! It is an ill omen. Wherefore is there blood here? . . . and this body, what does this body here? Think you I am like the King of Egypt, who gives no feast to his guests but that he shows them a corpse? Whose is it? I will not look on it.

First Soldier—It is our captain, sire. He is the young Syrian whom you made captain of the guard but three days gone.

Herod—I issued no order that he should be slain.

Second Soldier—He slew himself, sire.

Herod—For what reason? I had made him captain of my guard.

Second Soldier—We do not know, sire. But with his own hand he slew himself.

Herod—That seems strange to me. I had thought it was but the Roman philosophers who slew themselves. Is it not true, Tigellinus, that the philosophers at Rome slay themselves?

Tigellinus—There be some who slay themselves, sire. They are the Stoics. The Stoics are people of no cultivation. They are ridiculous people. I myself regard them as being perfectly ridiculous.

Herod—I also. It is ridiculous to kill oneself.

Tigellinus—Everybody at Rome laughs at them. The Emperor has written a satire against them. It is recited everywhere.

Herod—Ah! he has written a satire against them? Caesar is wonderful. He can do everything. . . . It is strange that the young Syrian has slain himself. I am sorry he has slain himself. I am very sorry; for he was fair to look upon. He was even very fair. He had very languorous eyes. I remember that I saw that he looked languorously at Salome. Truly, I thought he looked too much at her.

Herodias—There are others who look too much at her.

Herod—His father was a king. I drove him from his kingdom. And of his mother, who was a queen, you made a slave—Herodias. So he was here as my guest, as it were, and for that reason I made him my captain. I am sorry he is dead. No! why have you left the body here? I will not look at it—away with it! [They take away the body.] It is cold here. There is a wind blowing. Is there not a wind blowing?

Herodias—No; there is no wind.

Herod—I tell you there is a wind that blows. . . . And I hear in the air something that is like the beating of wings, like the beating of vast wings. Do you not hear it?

Herodias—I hear nothing.

Herod—I hear it no longer. But I heard it. It was the blowing of the wind. It has passed away. But no, I hear it again. Do you not hear it? It is just like the beating of wings.

Herodias—I tell you there is nothing. You are ill. Let us go within.

Herod—I am not ill. It is your daughter who is sick to death. Never have I seen her so pale.

Herodias—I have told you not to look at her.

Herod—Pour me forth wine. [Wine is brought.] Salome, come drink a little wine with me. I have here a wine that is exquisite. Caesar himself sent it me. Dip into it thy little red lips, that I may drain the cup.

Salome—I am not thirsty, Tetrarch.

Herod—You hear how she answers me, this daughter of yours?

Herodias—She does right. Why are you always gazing at her?

Herod—Bring me ripe fruits. [Fruits are brought.] Salome, come and eat fruits with me. I love to see in a fruit the mark of thy little teeth. Bite but a little of this fruit that I may eat what is left.

Salome—I am not hungry, Tetrarch.

Herod [To Herodias]—You see how you have brought up this daughter of yours.

Herodias—My daughter and I come of a royal race. As for thee, thy father was a camel driver! He was a thief and a robber to boot!

Herod—Thou liest!

Herodias—Thou knowest well that it is true.

Herod—Salome, come and sit next to me. I will give thee the throne of thy mother.

Salome—I am not tired, Tetrarch.

Herodias—You see in what regard she holds you.

Herod—Bring me—what is it that I desire? I forget. Ah! ah! I remember.

The Voice of Jokanaan—Behold the time is come! That which I foretold has come to pass. The day that I spoke of is at hand.

Herodias—Bid him be silent. I will not listen to his voice. This man is for ever hurling insults against me.

Herod—He has said nothing against you. Besides, he is a very great prophet.

Herodias—I do not believe in prophets. Can a man tell what will come to pass? No man knows it. Also he is for ever insulting me. But I think you are afraid of him. . . . I know well that you are afraid of him.

Herod—I am not afraid of him. I am afraid of no man.

Herodias—I tell you, you are afraid of him. If you are not afraid of him why do you not deliver him to the Jews who for these six months past have been clamouring for him?

A Jew—Truly, my lord, it were better to deliver him into our hands.

Herod—Enough on this subject. I have already given you my answer. I will not deliver him into your hands. He is a holy man. He is a man who has seen God.

A Jew—That cannot be. There is no man who hath seen God since the prophet Elias. He is the last man who saw God face to face. In these days God doth not show Himself. God hideth Himself. Therefore great evils have come upon the land.

Another Jew—Verily, no man knoweth if Elias the prophet did indeed see God. Peradventure it was but the shadow of God that he saw.

A Third Jew—God is at no time hidden. He sheweth Himself at all times and in all places. God is in what is evil even as He is in what is good.

A Fourth Jew—Thou shouldst not say that. It is a very dangerous doctrine. It is a doctrine that cometh from Alexandria, where men teach the philosophy of the Greeks. And the Greeks are Gentiles: They are not even circumcised.

A Fifth Jew—No one can tell how God worketh. His ways are very dark. It may be that the things which we call evil

are good, and that the things which we call good are evil. There is no knowledge of any thing. We can but bow our heads to His will, for God is very strong. He breaketh in pieces the strong together with the weak, for He regardeth not any man.

First Jew—Thou speaketh truly. Verily God is terrible; He breaketh in pieces the strong and the weak as a man breaks corn in a mortar. But as for man, he hath never seen God. No man hath seen God since the prophet Elias.

Herodias—Make them be silent. They weary me.

Herod—But I have heard it said that Jokanaan is in very truth your prophet Elias.

The Jew—That cannot be. It is more than three hundred years since the days of the prophet Elias.

Herod—There be some who say that this man is Elias the prophet.

A Nazarene—I am sure that he is Elias the prophet.

The Jew—Nay, but he is not Elias the prophet.

The Voice of Jokanaan—Behold the day is at hand, the day of the Lord, and I hear upon the mountains the feet of Him who shall be the Saviour of the world.

Herod—What does that mean? The Saviour of the world? Tigellinus—It is a title that Caesar adopts.

Herod—But Caesar is not coming into Judaea. Only yesterday I received letters from Rome. They contained nothing concerning this matter. And you, Tigellinus, who were at Rome during the winter, you heard nothing concerning this matter, did you?

Tigellinus—Sire, I heard nothing concerning the matter. I was explaining the title. It is one of Caesar's titles.

Herod—But Caesar cannot come. He is too gouty. They say that his feet are like the feet of an elephant. Also there are reasons of State. He who leaves Rome loses Rome. He will not come. Howbeit, Caesar is lord, he will come if such be his pleasure. Nevertheless, I think he will not come.

First Nazarene—It was not concerning Caesar that the prophet spake these words, sire.

Herod—How?—it was not concerning Caesar?

First Nazarene—No, my lord.

Herod—Concerning whom then did he speak?

First Nazarene—Concerning Messias who has come.

A Jew—Messias hath not come.

First Nazarene—He hath come, and everywhere He worketh miracles.

Herodias—Ho! ho! miracles! I do not believe in miracles.

I have seen too many. [To the Page.] My fan.

First Nazarene—This man worketh true miracles. Thus, at a marriage which took place in a little town of Galilee, a town of some importance, He changed water into wine. Certain persons who were present related it to me. Also He healed two lepers that were seated before the Gate of Capernaum simply by touching them.

First Nazarene—Nay; they were lepers. But He hath healed blind people also, and He was seen on a mountain talking with angels.

A Sadducee—Angels do not exist.

A Pharisee—Angels exist, but I do not believe that this Man has talked with them.

First Nazarene—He was seen by a great multitude of people talking with angels.

Herodias—How these men weary me! They are ridiculous. [To the Page.] Well! my fan! [The Page gives her the fan.] You have a dreamer's look; you must not dream. It is only sick people who dream. [She strikes the Page with her fan.]

Second Nazarene—There is also the miracle of the daughter of Jairus.

First Nazarene—Yea, that is sure. No man can gainsay it.

Herodias—These men are mad. They have looked too long on the moon. Command them to be silent.

Herod—What is this miracle of the daughter of Jairus?

First Nazarene—The daughter of Jairus was dead. This Man raised her from the dead.

Herod—How! He raises people from the dead?

First Nazarene—Yea, sire, He raiseth the dead.

Herod—I do not wish Him to do that. I forbid Him to do that. I suffer no man to raise the dead. This man must be found and told that I forbid Him to raise the dead. Where is this Man at present?

Second Nazarene—He is in every place, my lord, but it is hard to find Him.

First Nazarene—It is said that He is now in Samaria.

A Jew—It is easy to see that this is not Messias, if He is in Samaria. It is not to the Samaritans that Messias shall come. The Samaritans are accursed. They bring no offerings to the Temple.

Second Nazarene—He left Samaria a few days since. I think that at the present moment He is in the neighborhood of Jerusalem.

First Nazarene—No; He is not there. I have just come from Jerusalem. For two months they have had no tidings of Him.

Herod—No matter! But let them find Him, and tell Him, thus saith Herod the King, "I will not suffer Thee to raise the dead!" To change water into wine, to heal the lepers and the blind. . . . He may do these things if He will. I say nothing against these things. In truth I hold it a kindly deed to heal a leper. But no man shall raise the dead. It would be terrible if the dead came back.

The Voice of Jokanaan—Ah! the wanton one! The harlot! Ah! the daughter of Babylon with her golden eyes and her gilded eyelids! Thus saith the Lord God, Let there come up against her a multitude of men. Let the people take stones and stone her. . . .

Herodias—Command him to be silent.

The Voice of Jokanaan—Let the captains of the hosts pierce her with their swords, let them crush her beneath their shields.

Herodias—Nay, but it is infamous.

The Voice of Jokanaan—It is thus that I will wipe out all wickedness from the earth, and that all women shall learn not to imitate her abominations.

Herodias—You hear what he says against me? You suffer him to revile her who is your wife?

Herod—He did not speak your name.

Herodias—What does that matter? You know well that it is I whom he seeks to revile. And I am your wife, am I not?

Herod—Of a truth, dear and noble Herodias, you are my wife, and before that you were the wife of my brother.

Herodias—It was thou didst snatch me from his arms.

Herod—Of a truth I was stronger than he was. . . . But let us not talk of that matter. I do not desire to talk of it. It is the cause of the terrible words that the prophet has spoken. Peradventure on account of it a misfortune will come. Let us not speak of this matter. Noble Herodias, we are not mindful of our guests. Fill thou my cup, my well-beloved. Ho! fill with wine the great goblets of silver, and the great goblets of glass. I will drink to Caesar. There are Romans here, we must drink to Caesar.

All—Caesar! Caesar!

Herod—Do you not see your daughter, how pale she is?

Herodias—What is that to you if she be pale or not?

Herod—Never have I seen her so pale.

Herodias—You must not look at her.

The Voice of Jokanaan—In that day the sun shall become black like sackcloth of hair, and the moon shall become like blood, and the stars of the heaven shall fall upon the earth like unripe figs that fall from the fig-tree, and the kings of the earth shall be afraid.

Herodias—Ah! Ah! I should like to see that day of which he speaks, when the moon shall become like blood, and when the stars shall fall upon the earth like unripe figs. This prophet talks like a drunken man. . . . but I cannot suffer the sound of his voice. I hate his voice. Command him to be silent.

Herod—I will not. I cannot understand what it is that he saith, but it may be an omen.

Herodias—I do not believe in omens. He speaks like a drunken man.

Herod—It may be he is drunk with the wine of God.

Herodias—What wine is that, the wine of God? From what vineyard is it gathered? In what wine-press may one find it?

Herod [From this point he looks all the while at Salome].—Tigellinus, when you were at Rome of late, did the Emperor speak with you on the subject of . . . ?

Tigellinus—On what subject, my Lord?

Herod—On what subject? Ah! I asked you a question, did I not? I have forgotten what I would have asked you.

Herodias—You are looking again at my daughter. You must not look at her. I have already said so.

Herod—You say nothing else.

Herodias—I say it again.

Herod—And that restoration of the Temple about which they have talked so much, will anything be done? They say the veil of the Sanctuary has disappeared, do they not?

Herodias—It was thyself didst steal it. Thou speakest at random and without wit. I will not stay here. Let us go within.

Herod—Dance for me, Salome.

Herodias—I will not have her dance.

Salome—I have no desire to dance, Tetrarch.

Herod—Salome, daughter of Herodias, dance for me.

Herodias—Peace! let her alone.

Herod—I command thee to dance, Salome.

Salome—I will not dance, Tetrarch.

Herodias [Laughing]. You see how she obeys you.

Herod—What is it to me whether she dance or not? It is naught to me. Tonight I am happy, I am exceeding happy. Never have I been so happy.

First soldier—The Tetrarch has a sombre look. Has he not a sombre look?

Second Soldier—Yes, he has a sombre look.

Herod—Wherefore should I not be happy? Caesar, who is lord of the world, Caesar, who is lord of all things, loves me well. He has just sent me most precious gifts. Also he has promised me to summon to Rome the King of Cappadocia, who is my enemy. It may be that at Rome he will crucify him, for he is able to do all things that he has a mind to. Verily, Caesar is lord. Therefore I do well to be happy. There is nothing in the world that can mar my happiness.

The Voice of Jokanaan. He shall be seated on this throne. He shall be clothed in scarlet and purple. In his hand he shall bear a golden cup full of his blasphemies. And the angel of the Lord shall smite him. He shall be eaten of worms.

Herodias—You hear what he says about you. He says that you will be eaten of worms.

Herod—It is not of me that he speaks. He speaks never against me. It is of the King of Cappadocia that he speaks: the King of Cappadocia who is mine enemy. It is he who shall be eaten of worms. It is not I. Never has he spoken word against me, this prophet, save that I sinned in taking to wife the wife of my brother. It may be he is right. For, of a truth, you are sterile.

Herodias—I am sterile. I? You say that, you that are ever looking at my daughter, you that would have her dance for your pleasure? You speak as a fool. I have borne a child. You have gotten no child, no, not on one of your slaves. It is you who are sterile, not I.

Herod—Peace, woman! I say that you are sterile. You have borne me no child, and the prophet says that our marriage is not a true marriage. He says that it is a marriage of incest, a marriage that will bring evils. . . . I fear he is right; I am sure that he is right. I would be happy at this. Of a truth, I am happy. There is nothing I lack.

Herodias—I am glad you are of so fair a humour tonight. It is not your custom. But it is late. Let us go within. Do not forget that we hunt at sunrise. All honours must be shown to Caesar's ambassadors, must they not?

Second Soldier—The Tetrarch has a sombre look.

SALOME

A TRAGEDY IN ONE ACT—BY OSCAR WILDE

Ah! I can breathe now. How red those petals are! They are like stains of blood on the cloth. That does not matter. It is not wise to find symbols in everything that one sees. It makes life too full of horrors. It were better to say that stains of blood are as lovely as rose petals. It were better far to say that. . . . But we will not speak of this. Now I am happy. I am passing happy. Have I not the right to be happy? Your daughter is going to dance for me. Will thou not dance for me, Salome? Thou hast promised to dance for me.

Herodias—I will not have her dance.
Salome—I will dance for you, Tetrarch.
Herod—You hear what your daughter says. She is going to dance for me. Thou dost well to dance for me, Salome. And when thou hast danced for me, forget not to ask of me whatsoever thou has a mind to ask. Whatsoever thou shalt desire I will give it thee, even to the half of my kingdom. I have sworn it, have I not?

Salome—Thou hast sworn it, Tetrarch.
Herod—And I have never broken my word. I am not of those who break their oaths. I know not how to lie. I am the slave of my word, and my word is the word of a king. The King of Cappadocia had ever a lying tongue, but he is no true king. He is a coward. Also he owes me money that he will not repay. He has even insulted my ambassadors. He has spoken words that were wounding. But Caesar will crucify him when he comes to Rome. I know that Caesar will crucify him. And if he crucify him not, yet will he die, being eaten of worms. The prophet has prophesied it. Well! wherefore dost thou tarry, Salome?

Salome—I am waiting until my slaves bring perfumes to me and the seven veils, and take from off my feet my sandals. [Slaves bring perfumes and the seven veils, and take off the sandals of Salome.]

Herod—Ah, thou art to dance with naked feet. 'Tis well! 'Tis well. Thy little feet will be like white doves. They will be like little white flowers that dance upon the trees. . . . No, no, she is going to dance on blood. There is blood spilt on the ground. She must not dance on blood. It were an evil omen.
Herodias—What is it to thee if she dance on blood? Thou hast waded deep enough in it. . . .

Herod—What is it to me? Ah! look at the moon! She has become red. She has become red as blood. Ah! the prophet prophesied truly. He prophesied that the moon would become as blood. Did he not prophesy it? All of ye heard him prophesying it. And now the moon has become as blood. Do ye not see it?

Herodias—Oh, yes, I see it well, and the stars are falling like unripe figs, are they not? and the sun is becoming black like sackcloth of hair, and the kings of the earth are afraid. . . . Let us go within. You are sick. They will say at Rome that at least one can see. The prophet is justified of his words in that at least, for truly the kings of the earth are afraid that you are mad. Let us go within, I tell you.

The Voice of Jokanaan—Who is this who cometh from Edom, who is this who cometh from Bozra, whose raiment is dyed with purple, who shineth in the beauty of his garments, who walketh mightily in his greatness? Wherefore is thy raiment stained with scarlet?

Herodias—Let us go within. The voice of that man maddens me. I will not have my daughter dance while he is continually crying out. I will not have her dance while you look at her in this fashion. In a word, I will not have her dance.
Herod—Do not rise, my wife, my queen, it will avail thee nothing. I will not go within till she hath danced. Dance, Salome, dance for me.

Herodias—Do not dance, my daughter.
Salome—I am ready, Tetrarch.
[Salome dances the dance of the seven veils.]

Herod—Ah! wonderful! wonderful! You see that she has danced for me, your daughter. Come near, Salome, come near, that I may give thee thy fee. Ah! I pay a royal price to those who dance for my pleasure. I will pay thee royally. I will give thee whatsoever thy soul desireth. What wouldst thou have? Speak.

Salome [Knocking]—I would that they presently bring me a silver charger.

Herod [Laughing]—In a silver charger? Surely yes, in a silver charger. She is charming, is she not? What is it thou wouldst have in a silver charger. O sweet and fair Salome, thou art fairer than all the daughters of Judaea? What wouldst thou have them bring thee in a silver charger? Tell

me. Whatsoever it may be, thou shalt receive it. My treasures belong to thee. What is it that thou wouldst have, Salome?

Salome [Rising]—The head of Jokanaan.
Herodias—Ah! that is well said, my daughter.

Herod—No, no!
Herodias—That is well said, my daughter.

Herod—No, no, Salome. It is not that thou desirest. Do not listen to thy mother's voice. She is every giving thee evil counsel. Do not heed her.

Salome—It is not my mother's voice that I heed. It is for mine own pleasure that I ask the head of Jokanaan in a silver charger. You have sworn an oath, Herod. Forget not that you have sworn an oath.

Herod—I know it. I have sworn an oath by my gods. I know it well. But I pray thee, Salome, ask of me something else. Ask of me the half of my kingdom, and I will give it thee. But ask not of me what thy lips have asked.

Salome—I ask of you the head of Jokanaan.

Herod—No, no, I will not give it thee.

Salome—You have sworn an oath, Herod.

Herodias—Yes, you have sworn an oath. Everybody heard you. You swore it before everybody.

Herod—Peace, woman! It is not to you I speak.

Herodias—My daughter has done well to ask the head of Jokanaan. He has covered me with insults. He has said unspeakable things against me. One can see that she loves her mother well. Do not yield, my daughter. He has sworn an oath, he has sworn an oath.

Herod—Peace! Speak not to me! . . . Salome, I pray thee be not stubborn. I have ever been kind toward thee. I have ever loved thee. . . . It may be that I have loved thee too much. Therefore ask not this thing of me. This is a terrible thing, an awful thing to ask of me. Surely, I think thou art jesting. The head of a man that is cut from his body is ill to look upon, is it not? It is not meet that the eyes of a virgin should look upon such a thing. What pleasure couldst thou have in it? There is no pleasure that thou couldst have in it. No, no, it is not that thou desirest. Hearken to me. I have an emerald, a great emerald, thou canst see that which passeth afar off. Caesar himself carries such an emerald when he goes to the circus. But my emerald is the larger. I know well that it is the larger. It is the largest emerald in the whole world. Thou wilt take that, wilt thou not? Ask it of me, and I will give it thee.

Salome—I demand the head of Jokanaan.

Herod—Thou art not listening. Thou art not listening. Suffer me to speak, Salome.

Salome—The head of Jokanaan.

Herod—No, no, thou wouldst not have that. Thou sayest that but to trouble me, because I have looked at thee and ceased not this night. It is true, I have looked at thee and ceased not this night. Thy beauty has troubled me. Thy beauty has grievously troubled me, and I have looked at thee over-much. Nay, but I will look at thee no more. One should not look at anything. Neither at things, nor at people should one look. Only in mirrors is it well to look, for mirrors do but show us masks. Oh! oh! bring wine! I thirst. . . . Salome, Salome, let us be as friends. Bethink thee. . . . Ah! what would I say? What was't? Ah! I remember it! . . . Salome—nay but come nearer to me; I fear thou wilt not hear my words—Salome, thou knowest my white peacocks, my beautiful white peacocks, that walk in the garden between the myrtles and the tall cypress trees. Their beaks are gilded with gold and the grains that they eat are smeared with gold, and their feet are stained with purple. When they cry out the rain comes, and the moon shows herself in the heavens when they spread their tails. Two by two they walk between the cypress trees and the black myrtles, and each has a slave to tend it. Sometimes they fly across the trees, and anon they crouch in the grass, and round the pools of the water. There are not in all the world birds so wonderful. I know that Caesar himself has no birds so fair as my birds. I will give thee fifty of my peacocks. They will follow thee whithersoever thou goest, and in the midst of them thou wilt be like unto the moon in the midst of a great white cloud. . . . I will give them to thee all. I have but a hundred, and in the whole world there is no king who has peacocks like unto my peacocks. But I will give them all to thee. Only thou must loose me from my oath, and must not ask of me that which thy lips have asked of me. [He empties the cup of wine.]

Salome—Give me the head of Jokanaan.
Herodias—Well said, my daughter! As for you, you are ridiculous with your peacocks.
Herod—Ah! thou art not listening to me. Be calm. As for me, am I not calm? I am altogether calm. Listen. I have jewels hidden in this place—jewels that thy mother even has never seen; jewels that are marvellous to look at. I have a collar of pearls, set in four rows. They are like unto moons chained with rays of silver. They are even as half a hundred moons caught in a golden net. On the ivory breast of a queen they have rested. Thou shalt be as fair as a queen when thou wearest them. I have amethysts of two kinds, one that is black like wine, and one that is red like wine that one has coloured with water. I have topazes, yellow as are the eyes of tigers, and topazes that are pink as the eyes of a wood-pigeon, and green topazes that are as the eyes of cats. I have opals that burn always, with a flame that is cold as ice, opals that make sad men's minds, and are afraid of the shadows. I have onyxes like the eyeballs of a dead woman. I have moonstones that change when the moon changes, and are wan when they see the sun. I have sapphires big like eggs, and as blue as blue flowers. The sea wanders within them and the moon comes never to trouble the blue of their waves. I have chrysolites and beryls and chrysoprases and rubies. I have sardonyx and hyacinth stones, and stones of chalcedony, and I will give them all unto thee, all, and other things will I add to them. The King of the Indies has but even now sent me four fans fashioned from the feathers of parrots, and the King of Numidia a garment of ostrich feathers. I have a crystal, into which it is not lawful for a woman to look, nor may young men behold it until they have been beaten with rods. In a coffer of nacre I have three wondrous turquoises. He who wears them on his forehead can imagine things which are not, and he who carries them in his hand can turn the fruitful woman into a woman that is barren. These are great treasures above all price. But this is not all. In an ebony coffer I have two cups, amber, that are like apples of pure gold. If an enemy pour poison into these cups they become like apples of silver. In a coffer incrustured with amber I have sandals incrustured with glass. I have mantles that have been brought from the land of the Seres, and bracelets decked about with carbuncles and with jade that come from the city of Euphrates. . . . What desirest thou more than this, Salome! Tell me the thing that thou desirest, and I will give it thee. All that thou askest I will give thee, save one thing only. I will give thee all that is mine, save only the head of one man. I will give thee the mantle of the high priest. I will give thee the veil of the sanctuary.

The Jews—Oh! oh!

Salome—Give me the head of Jokanaan.

Herod [Sinking back in his seat]. Let her be given what she asks! Of a truth she is her mother's child! [The first Soldier approaches. Herodias draws from the hand of the Tetrarch the ring of death, and gives it to the Soldier, who straightway bears it to the Executioner. The Executioner looks scared.] Who has taken my ring? There was a ring on my right hand. Who has drunk my wine? There was wine in my cup. It was full of wine. Someone has drunk it! Oh! surely some evil will befall some one. [The Executioner goes down into the cistern.] Ah! Wherefore did I give my oath? Hereafter let no king swear an oath. If he keep it not, it is terrible, and if he keep it, it is terrible also.

Herodias—My daughter has done well.

Herod—I am sure that some misfortune will happen.

Salome [She leans over the cistern and listens]. There is no sound. I hear nothing. Why does he not cry out, this man? Ah! if any man sought to kill me, I would cry out, I would struggle, I would not suffer. . . . Strike, strike, Namaan, strike, I tell you. . . . No, I hear nothing. There is a silence, a terrible silence. Ah! something has fallen upon the ground. I heard something fall. He is not afraid, this slave. He is a coward, this slave! Let soldiers be sent. [She sees the Page of Herodias and addresses him.] Come thither, thou wert the friend of him who is dead, wert thou not? Well, I tell thee, there are not dead men enough. Go to the soldiers and bid them go down and bring me the thing I ask, the thing the Tetrarch has promised me, the thing that is mine. [The Page recoils. She turns to the soldiers.] Hither, ye soldiers. Get ye down into this cistern and bring me the head of this man. Tetrarch, Tetrarch, command your soldiers that

they bring me the head of Jokanaan.

[A huge black arm, the arm of the Executioner, comes forth from the cistern, bearing on a silver shield the head of Jokanaan. Salome seizes it. Herod hides his face with his cloak. Herodias smiles and fans herself. The Nasaenues fall on their knees and begin to pray.]

Ah! thou wouldst not suffer me to kiss thy mouth, Jokanaan. Well, I will kiss it now. I will bite it with my teeth as one bites a ripe fruit. Yes, I will kiss thy mouth, Jokanaan. I said it; did I not say it? I said it. Ah! I will kiss it now.

But, wherefore dost thou not look at me, Jokanaan? Thine eyes that were so terrible, so full of rage and scorn, are shut now. Wherefore are they shut? Open thine eyes! Lift up thine eyelids, Jokanaan! Wherefore dost thou not look at me? Art thou afraid of me, Jokanaan, that thou wilt not look at me? . . . And thy tongue, that was like a red snake darting poison, it moves no more, it speaks no words, Jokanaan, that scarlet viper that spat its venom upon me. It is strange, is it not? How is it that the red viper stirs no longer? . . . Thou wouldst have none of me, Jokanaan. Thou rejectest me. Thou didst speak evil words against me. Thou didst beat thyself toward me as to a harlot, as to a woman that is a wanton, to me, Salome, daughter of Herodias, Princess of Judaea! Well, I still live, but thou art dead, and thy head belongs to me. I can do with it what I will. I can throw it to the dogs and to the birds of the air. That which the dogs leave, the birds of the air shall devour. . . . Ah, Jokanaan, thou wert the man that I loved alone among men. All other men were hateful to me. But thou wert beautiful! Thy body was a column of ivory set upon feet of silver. It was a garden full of doves and lilies of silver. It was a tower of silver decked with shields of ivory. There was nothing in the world so white as thy body. There was nothing in the world so black as thy hair. In the whole world there was nothing so red as thy mouth. Thy voice was a censer that scattered strange perfumes, and when I looked on thee I heard a strange music. Ah! wherefore didst thou not look at me, Jokanaan? With the cloak of thine hands and with the cloak of thy blasphemies thou didst hide thy face. Thou didst put upon thine eyes the covering of him who would see his God. Well, thou hast seen thy God, Jokanaan, but me, me, thou didst never see. If thou hadst seen me thou hadst loved me. I saw thee, and I loved thee. Oh, how I loved thee! I love thee yet, Jokanaan, I love only thee. . . . I am athirst for thy beauty; I am hungry for thy body; and neither wine nor apples can appease my desire. What shall I do now, Jokanaan? Neither the floods nor the great waters can quench my passion. I was a princess, and thou didst scorn me. I was a virgin, and thou didst take my virginity from me. I was chaste, and thou didst fill my veins with fire. . . . Ah! ah! wherefore didst thou not look at me? If thou hadst looked at me thou hadst loved me. Well I know that thou wouldst have loved me, and the mystery of love is greater than the mystery of death.

Herod—She is monstrous, thy daughter, I tell thee she is monstrous. In truth, what she has done is a great crime. I am sure that it is. A crime against some unknown God.

Herodias—I am well pleased with my daughter. She has done well. And I would stay here now.

Herod [Rising]. Ah! There speaks my brother's wife! Come! I will not stay in this place. Come, I tell thee. Surely some terrible thing will befall. Manasseh, Issadar, Zias, put out the torches. I will not look at things, I will not suffer things to look at me. Put out the torches! Hide the moon! Hide the stars! Let us hide ourselves in our palace, Herodias. I begin to be afraid.

[The slaves put out the torches. The stars disappear. A great cloud crosses the moon and conceals it completely. The stage becomes quite dark. The Tetrarch begins to climb the staircase.]

The Voice of Salome—Ah! I have kissed thy mouth, Jokanaan. I have kissed thy mouth. There was a bitter taste on my lips. Was it the taste of blood? . . . Nay; but perchance it was the taste of love. . . . They say that love hath a bitter taste. . . . But what matter? what matter? I have kissed thy mouth.

Herod [Turning round and seeing Salome]—Kill that woman!

[The soldiers rush forward and crush beneath their shields Salome, daughter of Herodias, Princess of Judaea.]

CURTAIN.

WOMAN DRIVEN TO DIE BY GRIEF FOR A CHILD

The Court Took Away Baby Which Young Wife Had Loved as Her Own.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—A little baby next morning she was half demented. While the husband and Mrs. Susie Kupper of 69 First avenue were trying to comfort her, shortly before noon, she suddenly ran to a kitchen shelf, took down a large bottle of carbolic acid and drank nearly half a pint. Before a doctor reached the house Mrs. Rosenzweig was dead.

Mrs. Rosenzweig was hardly more than a girl. She was married when she was only sixteen, and that she was childless was the regret of each day. A few months ago she went to a hospital and heard a mother lamenting the birth of a daughter.

"Give the little thing to me and I will be good to it; I will love it so much," she said to the woman, and the child was given to her.

Neither Mrs. Rosenzweig nor her husband knew enough to adopt the child legally, and so when its mother began to yearn for the clasp of little hands and the love she had given away she demanded them back.

When Mrs. Rosenzweig left the courthouse Friday all of the brightness which the stranger's baby had brought into her life was gone. Neither her husband nor her friends could comfort her. All that night she mourned, and

KEEP IT POLISHED

It is a simple matter to keep the polished table top looking as well as when new, and even to increase its brilliancy. After each meal the table should be wiped with a damp cloth to remove all suspicion of foreign matter of any sort. Sometimes wine or other fluids get spilled and seep through upon the table. It is well then always to wipe the table top with a damp cloth and then with a clean flannel cloth rub briskly for a moment with olive oil. Such treatment will keep the table intact, and if this is continued for years the polish will increase and the beauty and worth of the table be enhanced.

WEALTHY MAN ELUDED HIS FRIENDS TO WED

Woman in Case, a Resort-Keeper, Telegraphs to Friend: "I Have Married a Million."

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 2.—Geo. Rhodius, who inherited \$1,000,000 from his mother, and Elma Dodsworth, better known as Elma Dare, keeper of a noted resort here, have been married. It is believed, despite efforts of Rhodius's friends to prevent it.

The first intimation that the two were on their way to get married came in a dispatch from Cleveland that the marriage license clerk of that city had received a wire from John W. Claypool, an Indianapolis attorney, not to issue a license to Rhodius and the woman.

Then it appears that similar dispatches were sent to other cities by Mr. Claypool.

"I sent dispatches to Cleveland, Buffalo and Cincinnati to try to head them off," he said.

"I am Mr. Rhodius's attorney, and I did it at the request of his friends and well-wishers. He has been in ill-health for some time and is not wholly accountable for his actions. The couple went through the gates of the Union

station night before last, and were then supposed to be on their way to Cincinnati."

The gateman at the Union station said that Rhodius seemed to be in a dazed condition and that the woman with him held him up with difficulty. Rhodius has been seen much with the woman for several years. He took her on a European tour and also on many trips about the United States and adjoining countries. He is about forty years old and is well known about town. The woman is quite good-looking and is about thirty-five years old.

Judge Whallon, the woman's lawyer, says that by an agreement last July she relinquished any "common-law" claims on Rhodius for \$5000. Others say that the money consideration was much larger.

"It is reported that the woman sent an exciting telegram to Indianapolis and Cleveland people, saying: 'I have married a million.'"

WEALTHY WHITE GIRL TO MARRY AN INDIAN CHIEF

Miss Cora Arnold of Denver Is Gladdened by News of Redskin Lover's Promotion.

DENVER, Feb. 2.—Miss Cora Arnold, the wealthy young woman of this city who is engaged to marry Albino Chavarría, a Pueblo Indian, has received word that her lover has been elected chief of the tribe at Espanola, N. M. She expressed pleasure, and said that though opposition still existed to her engagement, she hoped for the best. She and her sister own much real estate here.

Ere many moons have sped into eternity the Denver heiress may join her dusky lover and bring to a happy stage a romance from real life that finds no counterpart in the tales of the poets and novelists who depicted the aborigine in song and story.

Gov. Albino Chavarría is now the course of love has not run smoothly for the Indian chief and his Denver innamorata. They first met when Chavarría was brought here with his tribe as a carnival attraction. Added to a magnificent physique, the Santa Clara

brave has enjoyed unusual educational advantages. He is a cultured redskin, and affects the white man's dress when in the white man's country.

The wealthy Denver woman, who with her sister, owns the Colonnade apartments at Colfax and Marion streets, found in the handsome redskin her soul's affinity. They became engaged, and marriage was decided on. But friends interferred. Their importunities were heeded, and questions of

religion also had some bearing on a postponement of the wedding.

MOON SHADOWS.

Many persons cannot understand why the shadow made by an object in moonlight is darker than the shadow made in sunlight. The difference is due to the fact that the light of the moon is not so strong as that of the sun. As light travels always in a straight line, a shadow, either in moonlight or in sunlight, would be intensely black were it not for the dispersed and reflected rays around the shadow. The darkness of the shadow is reduced by these reflected rays, and as the rays of moonlight are stronger and brighter than those of moonlight, they reduce the darkness more. It is the dispersion and even distribution of the sun's rays through space, and their reflection from the dust-particles of the air, that makes daylight.

THE MASTER'S TOUCH

In the still air the music lies unheard; In the rough marble beauty lies unseen; To make the music and the beauty, needs The Master's touch, the Sculptor's chisel keen.

Great Master, touch us with thy skillful hand; Let not the music that is in us die; Great Sculptor, hew and polish us; nor let, Hidden and lost, thy form within us lie!

Spare not the stroke! do with us as thou wilt! Let there be naught unfinished, broken, marred; Complete thy purpose, that we may become Thy perfect image, thou our God and Lord!

—FORATIS BONAR.

SINGER GLAD THAT HE IS IRISH.

Arthur Cunningham Talks With Betty Martin



ARTHUR CUNNINGHAM, BARITONE AT IDORA PARK. HE SAYS HE IS IRISH AND HE IS GLAD OF IT.

Arthur Cunningham is "Irish, and glad of it, like most every other Irishman."

So he declared most emphatically, to me, the other day at the office, where he'd come under protest. It was like this: the editor had conceived the idea that Mr. Cunningham having now lived and sung in Oakland for the better part of a year, might possibly have something interesting to tell about life on this side the Bay—that life which to him had previously been but a vague dream.

But the singer himself thought differently. With most becoming modesty, he protested that there was "nothing to say—absolutely nothing!" he had said all there was to say, before!

"Before" was, shortly after the shake, on an occasion when Joe Fogarty, the to-be-depended-upon, and Frank Thompson, the genial, had wandered TRIBUNE way. Oakland was as yet to them an unopened book; now, what might not at least one of them reveal concerning it, artistically or otherwise?

Irish? Was memory serving me tricks?

"I thought you were English, Mr. Cunningham."

HE'S IRISH. "Oh, of course. I'm a Canadian by birth, a native of Montreal, but I'm Irish, all the same!" came the reply, delivered with a finality which left no alternative but the abominably weak query:

"You mean your parents came from Ireland?"

"From the very North—the County Tyrone."

So there, you see! Cunningham, born in Montreal, is glad he's Irish, but I wouldn't mind betting dollars to doughnuts that he'd feel equally glad to be an American when he sings, "My Own United States."

He gets anywhere from three to six encores every time he gives the audience that now National song, and when a man can force that tribute from his listeners, it must certainly mean something. Speaking of that song brings to mind another vocalist, Mr. Alfred Wilkie, also, by birth, at least, a subject of Great Britain. I don't believe any other man hereabout would dare to attempt that strictly American song, "The Sword of Bunker Hill." Whenever our Blue war veterans meet either in rejoicing or sorrowings, Alfred Wilkie is with them to sing about the soldier who said, "My son, I leave you gold, But what is richer still, I leave You—mark me, mark me now, The sword of 'Bunker Hill!'"

Queer, isn't it, that as yet we have no man native to the soil who has become part and parcel of these thrilling airs! Schumann-Heincke, however, says that California is the place for glorious voices, and let us hope her prophecy will become true.

Returning to Mr. Cunningham, he ventured the opinion, based on his personal experience, that Oaklanders were fonder of proving that pieces such as the "Idol's Eye" and the "Toy Maker" drew crowded houses for weeks at a stretch, while other operas with more music than fun in them, went coldly by the boards. He explained in detail.

FIRST NIGHTS. "The first two or three nights of a new production," said he, "will see an audience which comes to listen to the music, but after that—here followed a pause more expressive than words. "Of course," concluded he, "both comedy and music are needed to make a successful whole."

Really, without the slightest intention of doing it, Mr. Cunningham somehow knocked galloping certain notions I had conceived regarding musical appreciation here. He put it very nicely, too.

"You know," explained he, "it's like New York and Boston. Conried could hardly be persuaded to take his company to Boston—they had an awful time getting him to, but no one denies that Boston people are highly cultured."

"Certainly—and critical!" "And critical, but in New York they're artistic!" "You're comparing, of course, Oakland and San Francisco?" "Yes. But don't say anything which might hurt the feelings of any Oaklanders—I'm first speaking of my personal experiences. I shall never forget my farewell performance in San Francisco—why, they gave me an ovation—and when I made my re-appearance, in 'Rob Roy,' the house rose to riot."

Cunningham isn't at all dramatic as a speaker—in fact he is absolutely diffident until he gets to talking, and forgets himself, but his eyes glistened at the remembrance of those good old days in artistic San Francisco.

"You're right, possibly, in your comparison; but don't you think it was owing to the cosmopolitan population over there?" "Yes, ah yes," answered the Idora Park idol, "the old Tivoli used to be crowded with Italians—a peculiar smile hovered about Cunningham's generous mouth while he added—as I don't suppose you need be told."

I answered the smile in kind while memory waited to my

senses whiffs of the combined essence of garlic, strong cheese and Dago red, and to my ears came hand-clappings, with cries of "Bravo, bravo—encore!" after a specially pleasing effort on the part of some favorite of the boards.

My memory, too, antedated Cunningham's by many a long day, for I knew the old song house in days when it reeked with beer-smells and cigar smoke, yet, withal the operas were listened to by people who loved music for music's sake, yet did not object to a little occa-

sional buffoonery, which reminds me that I asked Cunningham if he'd always been in light opera. BUSINESS MAN.

"Indeed no!" replied he, with a vigorous tug at his polka-dotted tie. "I was a business man for ten years."

Somewhat, the idea of associating a professional singer with matters of business always seems preposterous—especially so with this one. But he's very proud of having been a court stenographer.

"I incline naturally to mechanics," he declared, "and know

every part of the Remington machine. I can take one entirely to pieces and put it together again in perfect condition."

On this point I attempted to convince him of error of judgment. But he was winner in the argument, which he clinched by comedy that of music.

"I'd like to be a business man again, sometime," concluded he, almost wistfully. "You know it's an awful thing for a man to depend upon a voice for his living!"

teaching," I suggested.

"We call that the drudgery of the profession."

"But your time's a long way off yet."

"I hope so; but a man, especially as he grows older, can't help think of the future."

"You might go into the Oakland real estate business," I ventured. "Real estate men all seem to be getting rich."

At this Cunningham laughed. He admitted, too, that he'd been looking at lots, not for the sake of speculating, but merely that he might live under his own vine and fig tree, for live in California he means to permanently, having tried it now some six years more or less, and found it good.

"But my, my! the prices are awful. I couldn't think of buying. And it's impossible to rent. Plenty of new houses going up, but you've got to buy in order to get one to live in. Why's that?"

I gave it up, after suggesting that possibly the real estate men were chasing ready money.

Cunningham expressed his opinion that they were afraid of a break in prices, and wouldn't rent for fear of getting left. Personally, he believes that before three months have passed this will come to pass. He's something of an observer, too, for he says that there are now three "to let" signs in Telegraph avenue windows. "Before long there'll be more, too!"

It didn't occur to me to put forth the suggestion that possibly the occupants of those now "to let" apartments had, in all probability, purchased three of the aforementioned cottages, but that's neither here nor there.

Strangers, comparatively speaking, may underestimate conditions here, but never will an Oaklander be thus deluded. We are just beginning, rather than ending, on the question of values.

"Singing," reiterated Mr. Cunningham, reverting to the former topic, "is really an awful thing to depend upon: Think of it; it's almost impossible for a man to be in voice three hundred and sixty-five days in a year. And when he can't sing, his salary stops."

WHEN SALARIES STOP.

It's been my experience that salaries stop in other callings, too, when a man's sick, but that's not to the point. Here is meat for digestion.

The "Toy Maker," originally known as "La Poupee"—by the way, Cunningham is a proficient French scholar—was the work of

Audran, the composer of the "Mascot." It was a flat failure in New York, and only became a success after it was put on over in San Francisco, where it ran for six or seven consecutive weeks. Incidentally, there has been much pruning and cutting.

"Originally, Mr. Cunningham, you didn't make opera your aim?"

"It was the last thing I ever thought of. I always loved music, and intended to be a concert singer. It was Charles V. Stanford—Sir Charles, I think he is now, who switched me off with 'Shamus O'Brien.' I came to New York in that, and have been at it ever since. I've been in many failures as well as successes."

"What did you appear in first in San Francisco?"

"The Highwayman." It was a flat failure, and we had Love Fuller to dance between the acts, too, but even that didn't save it."

"Which work do you prefer—concert or operatic?"

"Ah, I love the concert. My voice is suited to it. You know it's a basso contralto."

"Not a baritone?"

"No, nor a tenor, either! I've a tenor part this week, but I don't care for it. If I had my choice I'd never sing above E. I like low notes. Did you hear the 'Messiah' out at the Greek Theater?"

Fate, unkind Fate, had prevented an attendance, but I hoped that it would be repeated.

"That is an oratorio for you—ah, there's where the chances for great musical work come in."

"Why not, since you're so fond of it, take up concert work?"

Cunningham regarded me for a moment in silence, then replied: "It would be like beginning all over again. I'd have to go to New York or London, and begin at the very foot of the ladder, and when a man gets a stated salary at the end of the week, and knows it's coming, he's almost afraid to make the venture."

Thus "Fear doth make cowards of us all." This aside. It is a shame that such a glorious voice ever got side-tracked, for surely Nature intended it for stupendous roles.

Ah, well-a-day! Cunningham's here, anyway; for that let us be thankful. Let us also hope that some kindly disposed real estate man, having the singer, as well as the community's interest at heart, will persuade our basso cantante, who is the real thing, and a reputed good storyteller, which reputation he refused to verify, into putting a small portion of the "weekly salary" into an Oakland lot.

BETTY MARTIN.

IS FOUND STARVING ON A STOOP WITH A BABY

"You Must Not Know Who I Am," Says Woman to New York Hospital Directors.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Sitting on the stoop at 235 Fifth street, Brooklyn, a woman with a two-year-old child hugged to her breast was found. She had sat in one spot more than an hour, suffering from cold, hunger and illness. William P. Elliott of the address given found the woman, and had his wife revive her while he got Policeman Conroy and Dr. Kandt of Seney Hospital.

The woman refused to give her address, and the name, Mrs. Nora Jacobson, entered at her request on the blotter, is believed to be fictitious. Mrs. Jacobson refused to go to Seney Hospital unless her child, a girl, could go with her.

Sergeant Sullivan of the Fifth-avenue police station finally made arrangements with the Kings County Hospital to receive mother and baby. The utmost care is being taken of the two patients. Soon there will be three.

"I do not care to name my family," the woman said to the doctors. "There have been certain troubles and privations which I do not care to bring to light. If you wish to save me from starvation, well and good, but you must do it without knowing who I am."

Mother and child seemed to have been in prosperous circumstances at one time, judging from the texture of their clothing, which now bears marks of the recent inclement weather.

RAIN IN THE WOODS

(By Cornelia Channing Ward.)

Deep in the woods, the quiet silver showers
Are drenching all the fragrant scented green,
While down within the leafy mold, are seen
The brimming fairy goblets of the flowers;
And high above, through dripping, airy bowers
Of misty network, sows the sky between
Where trees their glistening branches intervene,
And nothing tells the passing of the hours.
From out the fern-fringed hollow, still the spring
Comes crystal clear, and slowly, one by one,
The falling raindrops lessen till the sun
Again lights up the jeweled forest ways,
And birds, whose notes the sweetest echoes bring,
Once more take up their ecstasies of praise.

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN YOU FEEL LIKE A DOUGHNUT

Woman Has Hysterics Over Husband's Reply and Scratches His Face.

RUMFORD FALLS, Me., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Samuel Sellers of Highland Ridge, a few miles west of this town, is recovering from a severe attack of hysterics, during which she was so violent that Mr. Sellers received several severe nail wounds in his face before he could summon neighbors to assist him in caring for his wife.

The Sellers are a newly married couple, and the young bride has yet to learn all of her husband's likes and dislikes or table vlands. She soon discovered his inordinate fondness for twisted molasses doughnuts, and last night, as she was preparing supper, she said: "Would you like doughnuts for supper?"

Mr. Sellers was so busy reading the evening paper that she had to repeat the question three times ere he heard. Then he answered in an absent-minded way: "Put 'em on. Sometimes after

I've eaten supper I feel like a doughnut."

Although he was entirely innocent of any attempt at humor, the reply excited Mrs. Sellers' risibilities and she went off in a peal of laughter which continued until she was powerless to stop it, and then developed into a fine fit of hysteria.

All Mr. Sellers' attempts to assist his wife were met by screams of, "So you feel like a doughnut, do you? You're twisted. You're a doughnut man," and "I'll eat you," for in her hysterical condition she was beside herself, as the long scratches in her husband's face testify. When Mrs. Sellers was restored, which was not until a physician had been called, she was astonished to learn of her behavior.

"Hereafter," declares Mr. Sellers, "I will mentally say over my replies and make sure that there is nothing in them funny enough to be dangerous."

INDIAN RELISH.

One-half bushel of green tomatoes, one-half dozen green and one-half dozen red peppers, one dozen bunches of celery, three quarts of good vinegar (more if necessary), three pounds of brown sugar, four tablespoonfuls of ground mustard. Chop all very fine or put through a meat grinder; squeeze out all the juice you can so that it will not be watery; bring the vinegar to a boil, add the other ingredients with ground spices to taste and an abundance of salt. Boil for ten minutes, bot-

OATMEAL COOKIES.

Mix well together a cup, each, of butter and sugar, seven tablespoonfuls of sweet milk, two cups of flour sifted with a teaspoonful of baking soda, two cups of dry oatmeal, a cup, each, of seeded raisins and chopped pecans, or walnuts, or peanuts. This makes a stiff dough and must be kneaded by hand to mix the nuts and raisins well. Do not roll out, but drop by the spoonful on buttered tins and press round and thin. Bake in a rather quick oven, and, when cool, spread a thin coat of jam over the cookies.

ARE YOU MARRIED OR ARE YOU GOING TO BE MARRIED?

Pertinent Question Is Asked by Beatrice Fairfax—All Women Interested in the Proposition.

Are you married or are you going to be married, or are you an independent maiden who would not marry, be the charmer ever so charming? asks Beatrice Fairfax.

In any case these words are written for your criticism or for your approval. There is not a woman in the world who is not deeply interested in the marriage problem.

She may think it is the worst of institutions, or she may think it the best, but in either case she cannot help thinking about it.

The average girl goes through numerous frames of mind on the all-important question.

When a schoolgirl, she expects to marry, as a matter of course, and equally, as a matter of course, to live happily ever after.

In the early twenties she is apt to find a mission in life, and sadly and heroically resolve to sacrifice her life for the good of others.

By the time she is thirty she has probably forgotten all about her mission, and is joyously devoting her life to the care of a good husband and two or three highly satisfactory babies.

You will find a great many matrons who will occasionally envy their free and independent maiden sisters, but not for all the world would one of them be an old maid.

At the same time there is not an unmarried woman on earth who does not at some time or other long desperately for the love of husband and child.

There are thousands of unmarried women waiting for a husband and child.

but the greatest of careers will not always fill the space which can only be filled by the touch of a small, downy head or tiny, clinging fingers.

In the February Cosmopolitan Juliet Wilbor Tompkins discusses, in the most interesting of articles, the question, "Why Women Don't Marry." It is an article that any woman or girl cannot help but read from start to finish. Miss Tompkins dissects her own sex and their motives in a kindly, humorous and yet far-seeing manner.

I would advise you all to read the

DISTANCE

"The sails that we see on the ocean,
Are white as white can be;
But never one in the harbor
As white as the sails at sea."

"And the clouds that crown the mountains
With purple and gold delight
Turn to cold grey mist and vapor
Ere ever we reach the height."

"Stately and fair is the vessel
That comes not near our beach;
Stately and grand the mountain
Whose height we never can reach."

"Oh Distance, thou dear Enchanter
Still hold in thy mystic veil
The glory of far-off mountains,
The gleam of the distant sail."

—Anonymous.

WAR CLOUD HOVERS ABOVE PACIFIC

JILTED GIRL SEEKS RELIEF IN THE GRAVE

Margaret Shepherd Took Gas in Her Home.

SANG HER SWAN SONG

Sat at Piano Just Before Her Friends Left Her Alone to Commit Her Mad Act

DURING the absence of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burton from their home at 529 Hobart street last night, Miss Margaret Shepherd, a beautiful young woman, 25 years of age, and a roomer at the Burton home, committed suicide by taking gas.

The cause of the young woman's rash act is unknown, but it is thought that disappointment in a love affair led her to take her life.

Worked Across Bay.

Miss Shepherd was in the employ of the Parcels Safe Company of San Francisco and had been residing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton for four months. The only relative that is known to survive Miss Shepherd is a sister residing in Michigan.

Her Swan Song.

Last night Mr. and Mrs. Burton left their home about 8 o'clock going to Loma Park to attend the theater. Their young boarder was in the parlor at the time of their departure and she was at the piano, playing and singing and apparently in the best of spirits.

Expected a Caller.

Miss Shepherd had told the Burtons that she was expecting a call from a "Mr. Mary" who, she said, was connected with the Stocker and Holland Company of this city.

At 11 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Burton arrived home and, upon entering the house, smelled gas. Upon investigation it was found

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This is a favorite Picture of the young Pittsburg millionaire, taken in a summer suit the day before he shot to death the famous architect on a June night in the Madison Square Garden Before a Brilliant Throng.



NAVAL MEN INSPECT PACIFIC MAIL BOAT

Availability of the Korea as an Auxiliary Cruiser in Case of Hostilities Is Investigated by Admiral Kempff.

MILLION DOLLARS ARE ORDERED EXPENDED AT ONCE TO MODERNIZE BATTLESHIP OREGON

Naval Board at San Francisco examines Pacific Mail Steamer Korea to learn of her availability as an auxiliary cruiser. One million dollars ordered expended at once by the Secretary of the Navy to modernize battleship Oregon, now on the Pacific coast.

Hurry repairs ordered on the Nebraska and Wisconsin, the former not due to be delivered until April 1.

Plans discussed for mobilization of a powerful fleet of battleships and cruisers at Pearl Harbor, in Hawaii.

FAST CRUISERS TO RENDEZVOUS FOR THE PROTECTION OF HAWAII

Warships Now on Chinese Coast Could Be Hurried to Re-enforce Squadron Now on Duty in the Far East.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—The first move of the United States Navy Department in anticipation of war with Japan was made today when the naval board, consisting of Admiral Henry Glass, Captain N. Perkins, Captain T. S. Phelps and Lieutenant Danforth, inspected the Pacific Mail steamship Korea as to her availability as an auxiliary cruiser.

After the navy men had satisfied themselves as to her capability of making speed, they found that she was able to carry the required armament.

Captain Perkins stated that the inspection of the vessel was merely in pursuance of the act of Congress of April, 1905, which requires that vessels be properly equipped in case of trouble. But the fact that they asked regarding the mounting of guns on the ship is significant.

R. P. Schwerin, vice-president and general manager of the Pacific Mail Company, was seen regarding this inspection and gave the plausible explanation that Captain Perkins had never visited the liner Korea and wanted to inspect the ship.

Transport if War Comes.

Notwithstanding this assertion by the official of the Pacific Mail Company, there is no doubt that the inspection of the American liner has created gossip in this port regarding her availability to be used as a transport in the event of war.

The inspection board visited the Pacific Mail Company's liner Korea to perform the functions of a scout ship in case of war. They were several hours in inspecting the ship and carefully examined the decks for the mounting of guns.

The Korea is one of the speediest of the trans-Pacific liners. She is able to steam ordinarily 20 knots and would be considered an could carry two 6-inch guns on the forward deck and at least two on the afterdeck and, with her great speed, would be a formidable destroyer of merchant fleets. She has accommodation for over 1000 steerage passengers and therefore is available as a transport for troops.

Secrecy Surrounds Inspection.

The inspection of the ship was kept very quiet about the mail dock. Captain Perkins was asked about the investigation, and he stated that in accordance with the act of Congress of April, 1905, the vessel was inspected as to her equipment in case of trouble. He stated that no subsequent orders regarding this inspection had been received. From others on board it was ascertained, however, that aside from the examination of life boats, life preservers and other equipment to be used in case of disaster, the naval board asked particularly regarding her availability to act as a scout ship in the event of war. The board inspected the strength of her decks, and it is claimed that a report will be made to Washington regarding the mounting of guns on the vessel.

When asked regarding the possibilities of utilizing the vessel as a scout ship, Captain C. B. Perkins was very reticent. He stated that the investigation had no special significance on account of the present trouble with Japan. He said that Admiral Kempff was president of a board appointed by the Secretary of the Navy to inspect all passenger steamers, and that it was entirely in accordance with the plan laid out by Admiral Kempff that the present inspection was made.

Investigation of Vessels.

It is said that the Pacific Mail Company is anticipating the passage of the pending ship subsidy bill and has called for an in-

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INSULT TO U.S. ADMIRAL ACT OF AN INSANE MAN

Kingston's Governor Had Been Bereft of Reason by Great Calamity.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Feb. 2.—The action of Governor Swettenham in addressing his insulting letter to Admiral Davis was not that of a sane man, nor was it the deed of James Alexander Swettenham, man of the world and soldier. That letter was written by a man temporarily crazed by an overwhelming calamity. The public will have to look to science for the explanation of it.

This is the statement made today by Dr. James Doane, head of the government medical department in Jamaica. He is an English physician and of great learning and high rank. He joins the whole population in deploring the unfortunate incident which was so insulting to all Americans, but unlike most people here, bears no resentment toward the Governor. In his opinion the Governor was thrown into a strange form of intoxication by the sudden destruction of the fair city over which he had held such complacent rule.

SLAIN IN BED WITH HIS OWN HEAVY SHOES

Labor Hatred Behind Brutal and Mysterious Crime in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Lying in a pool of blood on a bed at the Ferry lodging-house, 48 East street, the body of Claude Young, an electrician, was found shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon, by Edward Hesse, the proprietor of the place. The murder was committed with Young's heavy No. 10 high-top shoes, the

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THAW WILL FACE FOES

Slayer of Stanford White Insists on Ignoring the Advice of His Family and Attorneys, and He Will Take the Witness Stand to Tell His Own Story

BATTLE FOR YOUTH'S LIFE BEGINS MONDAY

May McKenzie, Evelyn Thaw's Closest Friend, May Be Called First By Jerome for the State.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—While hard-working justice is taking two days off to rest up, the District Attorney and counsel in the Thaw case are forming their lines for the battle which will open before Justice Fitzgerald Monday.

On the eve of the fight, important difficulties have arisen between Harry Kendall Thaw and his advisers. Young Thaw insists on going on the witness stand in his own behalf. He wants to tell his own story to the jury, confident that the narration will clear whatever lingering doubt that may remain in their minds as to his responsibility for the killing of Stanford White.

Great Mystery.

Who will be called first by the defense is as great a mystery as the name of the first witness of the State. Rumor today had May McKenzie as Jerome's first witness, but a full consideration of the fact seems to rule her out of the case for the prosecution entirely. She is essentially a witness for the defense, and it is not regarded as likely that Jerome will call her to the stand and bind himself to the damaging statements that she might make against Stanford White in the course of her examination.

Similarly, it is practically certain now that Jerome will not call Mrs. Harry Thaw as one of his witnesses. He can get along without her and he has at hand a sufficient number of witnesses, ac-

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RAIN RECORDS SMASHED BY THE STORM

Downpour Assured Next 36 Hours—Great Damage Already Done.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—January, 1907, has been the wettest January that California has experienced for seventeen years, and from present indications is about to beat all previous records. It has rained continuously since January 23rd, while during the past month there were twenty-one rainy days, and Forecaster McAdie declared tonight that there was no end to the wet weather in sight. We are to have

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FIERCE BLIZZARD IN NORTHWEST THREATENS LIFE

Starvation and Exposure Menace Man and Beast in Alberta.

WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 2.—All last night and today the worst blizzard in the history of the Canadian Northwest has been raging in this part of the country. No trains are moving and those due to leave were cancelled, the officials realizing that it was a hopeless task to attempt to run trains. For days past all the branch lines have been blocked and only the most strenuous efforts have kept open the main lines. Four transcontinental expresses are snowed up on the Canadian Pacific near Moose Jaw and at least two others are tied up between here and Fort William today.

It is claimed tonight there is not sufficient coal and wood in Winnipeg to last two days and with the lines blocked it is impossible to get any more in.

Reports from the Alberta ranges describe the conditions as terrible, cattle dying there by the hundreds from starvation and exposure.

Tonight the wind has dropped but it will be several days before the lines are opened for traffic.

SHE LOVED ROMEO AND JULIET PRETTY OAKLAND GIRL AND LOVER IN HANDS OF POLICE

FRESNO, Feb. 2.—A young girl's love for "Romeo and Juliet" will probably cause the prosecution of her lover for abduction. Mabel Oppenheimer, fifteen-year-old girl of Oakland and Harry Lawrence, a cigar dealer of that city were arrested on getting off the Owl train here last night, on word from the Oakland police.

B. E. Oppenheimer of that city charges that his daughter has been lured away from home by a gay deceiver, and it was found that they had bought tickets for Bakersfield.

On being taken up by the police here, the girl begged her

lover not to desert her, and he vowed that as soon as she is of age he will marry her. She declares that she is seventeen-years-old. She was permitted to spend the night with an aunt of Lawrence in this city, while the man spent the night in jail.

This morning Oppenheimer arrived here to take the girl back to Oakland. He declared that his daughter's waywardness has been caused by the reading of trashy literature. He and the girl's mother had remonstrated with her about it, and had furnished her with a set of Shakespeare's plays, whereupon she had taken particular delight in the story of "Romeo and Juliet."

DANGER OF WAR CAUSES ACTIVITY IN NAVAL CIRCLES PROTECTION FOR THE PACIFIC

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Investigation of its vessels as to their utilization in the event of war. The company has the Korea, Siberia and China, which are capable of making the speed of 19 knots, and these vessels are able to transport an aggregate of 5000 troops, and also the mammoth liners Mongolia and Manchuria, which, though only able to speed 16 knots, can transport fully 8000 troops.

The naval board will prepare a report on their inspection of the Korea and transmit it to the Secretary of the Navy. It is stated that the rest of the liners will be similarly inspected and reports regarding their availability as transports and scout ships will be submitted.

MILLION DOLLARS TO MODERNIZE BIG BATTLESHIP OREGON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—War talk precipitated by President Roosevelt in his recent conference with the California delegation got a genuine impetus this evening when Secretary Metcalf of the Navy Department ordered the expenditure of one million dollars to modernize the battleship Oregon, now on the Pacific coast. The money is to be taken from the repair fund. Ordinarily such a sum would be provided for in the naval appropriation bill, the Navy Department being reluctant to deplete the repair fund by a single requisition.

This is the quickest way possible to secure the presence of a new modern battleship on the Pacific coast. The changes in the Oregon are to be made at once. Her round turrets are to be made into the modern elliptical turrets; additions not yet revealed are also to be made, and it is believed that her broadside of four 6-inch guns will be enlarged to twelve 6-inch guns.

FOUR 13-INCH GUNS.
As the Oregon now carries four 13-inch guns, eight 8-inch guns, has thoroughly efficient armor and good engines, she will, when modernized, be the equal of any of the Japanese battleships.

The Nebraska will also be hurried up. She should have been delivered by the contractors on January 1, but an extension until April 1 was requested. The Nebraska has four 12-inch guns, eight 8-inch guns and a broadside of twelve 6-inch guns.

The Wisconsin is also on the Pacific coast being repaired. She has four 13-inch guns regarded in naval circles as equivalent to a land battery of that power.

While it is admitted that the four armored cruisers, Colorado, Maryland, Pennsylvania and West Virginia now in the Philippines would be withdrawn from that point in the event of trouble with Japan, they would not proceed to the Atlantic coast of the United States as at first thought, but would rendezvous at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. There they would be joined by the three battleships and the mon-

itor Swift addition to this force could be made by ordering to Honolulu the monitors Monterey and Monadnock, now on the Chinese coast.

PROTECT HAWAII

It is believed that such a fleet would insure the protection of Hawaii, as the full Japanese fleet has only eleven battleships, not all of which are first-class.

In the event that this suggested plan was carried out the battleships would undoubtedly carry to Pearl Harbor half a score of sea coast defense guns for land mounting. The emplacements for the number are now ready either at Hawaii and Manila.

STAND PAT POLICY ABOLISHED BY PARTY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Mayor Schmitz, the four members of the Board of Education, Secretary E. C. Leffingwell and Superintendent of Schools Alfred Roncovieri will leave on the Overland Limited Sunday morning for Washington, there to go over the Japanese school situation in this city with President Roosevelt and the California delegation in Congress. The party will arrive in Washington early Thursday morning and begin at once the conference. There will be no stops on the way.

Contrary to expectations no member of the city attorney's office will go with the party. This matter was threshed out with the mayor this afternoon and it was decided that if legal advice was necessary the members of the California delegation who are lawyers could supply it. The personnel of the party will be as follows: Mayor E. E. Schmitz, President Laurence F. Walsh of the Board of Education, Directors Thomas F. Boyle, David Oliver Jr., Aaron Altman, Superintendent Roncovieri and Secretary E. C. Leffingwell. Neither the mayor nor the members of the Board of Education will go to Washington determined to stand pat on what has already been done in this city toward excluding the Japanese from the public schools, which the white children attend. This much was decided during the conference at the mayor's office this afternoon. On the other hand, the party is not going to the White House with the intention of backing down at the first word of the President. The members are in a receptive mood, anxious to hear the arguments and evidence which President Roosevelt has and are willing to take action according to the weight of the evidence placed before them. With the mayor and the entire board present, it is very probable that some decisive action will be taken. Washington before the return is gun.

The mayor has plenty of time before he will be required to appear again in court. The demurrer which his attorneys filed with Judge Duino will not be decided until Monday, February 11, and if he is ordered to trial after that he will be given considerable time to prepare a defense.

FLEET TWO-YEAR-OLD SOLD TO WILLIAMS FOR \$10,000



THOMAS H. WILLIAMS.

Firestone, a Splendid Hildreth Colt, Becomes the Property of Jockey Club President.

By LEE DEMIER.

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, president of the New California Jockey Club, yesterday purchased Firestone for \$10,000. Mr. Williams is to be congratulated on securing so valuable an asset to his new stable.

Firestone is a fine-looking chestnut colt by Royal Flush III, out of Modreda, and has shown himself the best two-year-old started here this season, having run but three times and winning every start with apparent ease.

Mr. Williams is a true sportsman, a lover of clean racing, a keen admirer of the thoroughbred and an advocate of high-class breeding. When he starts on his Eastern campaign in the spring he will be in possession of one of the best strings of two-year-olds that ever left California, and on his departure will take with him the well wishes of all race lovers, as he has done more to further the advancement of the California thoroughbred and high-class racing than any horseman in the past decade.

FORMER CONVICT DENIED SEAT AT WARDEN'S TABLE ON VISIT TO SAN QUENTIN

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Griffith J. Griffith, the Los Angeles millionaire, who was recently released from San Quentin, after paying the penalty of shooting out his wife's eye, was today refused the privilege of dining at the table of Warden J. Edgar, when visiting his former custodian as a guest of the Assembly junketing committee.

Griffith on getting out of San Quentin, announced his intention of devoting his life to prison reform. He has been in attendance at the State Assembly, and accompanied the State Assembly committee to the State prison, where Warden Edgar on seeing Griffith quietly buttonholled two or three of the assemblymen and informed them that it was against prison etiquette to entertain at his table those who have worn the suit of stripes. The information was passed along in diplomatic language to Griffith, who quietly withdrew.

While making their investigations the assemblymen called on several convicts to state their experiences in the strait jackets, they even tried this method of punishment on a negro whom they found in one of the dungeons, under punishment for playing craps. They concluded there was nothing in the stories of cruelty to warrant further investigation. Individually they all announced themselves for a board of parole. The members of the committee who made the inspection are Assemblymen Butler, Birdsell, Pierce, Cullen, Boyle and McMullen.

PINE TREE SAVES LIVES OF PASSENGERS IN WRECK Narrow-Gauge Train Leaves Rails on Nevada Grade and Cars Are Hurled Down Canyon.

The entire train of the Nevada Narrow-Gauge Railroad plunged off the track this morning at 6:30 o'clock on its way from this city to Colfax and now lies in a canyon. By a miracle no lives were lost nor was anybody seriously hurt. The train carrying eight passengers was proceeding slowly over a high grade when suddenly the ground slid from beneath the weight of the engine and coaches, having been loosened by the incessant rains of the past week.

In an instant the engine and the two coaches left the rails and plunged over the embankment. The engine turned turtle, as did the tender and the combination smoker and baggage car, and they now lie bottom up 20 feet below the roadbed. The second coach lies on its side, upheld by a large pine tree. In this coach were three women, three children and two men. They were badly shaken up; one child received a painful burn from the overturned stove, but no serious injuries resulted.

In the combination car a section hand was struck by a flying trunk and seriously bruised. The train crew rescued the passengers without difficulty. A vehicle was procured at Shelby's station and the passengers conveyed in it to Colfax. A track has been built around the wreck and trains are now running as usual. It will be days before the wrecked train can be fished out of the ravine.

CHOICE GROCERY AND DELICATESSEN.

AUCTION SALE

We have received instructions from J. Koch to sell the groceries and delicacies contained in his store at 2310 Telegraph avenue, near Bancroft way, Berkeley. Sale Friday, February 1, 1945, at 10:30 a. m.

WANTED—Boy about 14 years of age to carry Tribune route in East Berkeley. Apply at once, Supt. Carriers, Oakland Tribune.

FOUND LYING IN OWN BLOOD

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man having been beaten to death.

The cause of the crime is unknown. The room showed no evidence of being ransacked for money, and a \$5 bill was found in the man's clothing. Captain Duke, is inclined to the belief that Young, who is a member of the Western Federation of Miners, had enemies among the Independent Workers of the world and that one or more of its members followed him to this city and took his life.

Was Boer Veteran.

From letters found Young was evidently a well-reared Englishman who traveled the world over within the last five years. He served in the Boer-British war, acted as chief electrician on several big British vessels and worked in the mines at Tonopah. Hesse states that Young hired a room late Friday night. He was given his key by the night clerk, John Defour, who states that he retired a few minutes later. Nothing was heard of him until his body was discovered.

Young's naked body was lying on the bed. The walls and practically everything in the room were bloodstained. Near the foot of the bed lay the shoe with which Young was slain. Hair was stuck to the bloody shoe.

Police Are Notified.

Hesse notified Captain Conboy of the harbor police station and Detectives Conlon and O'Shaughnessy were sent to the scene of the tragedy. They telephoned to Captain of Detectives Duke, who on his arrival closed the house and placed John Peterson and Edward Anderson, who occupied the adjoining room to the dead man, under arrest. They were allowed to go, as they showed that they were in bed before the crime had been committed.

The dead man was terribly beaten about the face and head, and several teeth were knocked out. Death was evidently caused by a terrible blow behind the left ear.

Night Clerk's Story.

The night clerk of the place states that Captain T. Ferguson and a sailor named T. Peterson, occupying rooms on the floor above Young, were the last to enter the house. The police were unable to find these men up to a late hour last night. In a leather wallet in the pocket of Young's corduroy coat were found several letters from his sisters, Beatrice and Jessie, from Norfolk, England. In one appears a paragraph chiding the murdered man for not communicating with his brother, Captain Young, who was evidently in command of the British gunboat Oriskany, which was laying in the harbor of Kingston, Jamaica, some months ago.

ENDS HER LIFE FOR LOST LOVE

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that the noxious fumes were issuing from Miss Shepherd's room.

Forcing open the door, Burton discovered his young boarder's body lying on the bed, with the covers drawn over it and a gas tube held in her mouth.

Life Was Gone.

Life was extinct, but Burton summoned Dr. Rowe, thinking that there might be a chance to save the young woman's life.

Miss Shepherd had removed her garments, and then attaching a gas tube to a pipe in the baseboard of her room used for heating purposes, placed the other end in her mouth, and turning the gas on, laid down calmly to die.

The morgue was notified and the remains were taken there about 1 o'clock this morning. The police are making an investigation of the case.

If sick headache is misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills? They are small and easy to take.

THAW WILL FACE HIS ACCUSERS FROM THE STAND

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cording to his lights, to contradict Mrs. Thaw's statements, if that be necessary.

All day today there were rumors about the Criminal Courts building as to an intention on Jerome's part to make a desperate effort Monday to have another juror withdrawn. The name of this juror was mentioned and circumstances concerning his career were cited as reasons why he should be dismissed. He is said to be well known in racing circles, and Jerome is alleged to have facts about him which inspire a wholesome desire to not go to trial with the man in the box.

Whether or no an effort will be made by the State to take this man out of the box will develop Monday morning. It may be stated with certainty, however, that every effort looking to that end will be fought to the last ditch by the defense.

Long Conference.

On Friday night a long conference was held between Thaw, Hartridge and O'Reilly in the Tombs prison on this question, and today on leaving the prison, after three-quarters of an hour's talk with Thaw, A. R. Peabody said:

"So far as counsel for the defense are concerned, the jury will stand as it was completed on Friday evening."

To get another man out of the box, therefore, Jerome will have to convince Justice Fitzgerald that there is something radically wrong with the jury, and even at that the defense will be entitled to an exception, and it will be a powerful lever in the hands of the defense for a new trial should a conviction result.

Peabody brought out of Thaw's cell a cheering report as to the defendant's feelings.

"Thaw is delighted with the jury," he said. "He thinks we could not have made a better choice. In fact, all of us are pleased, and I can say as much for Thaw's relatives, who have been in attendance at the trial all week. Thaw said last night that he hoped he would be able to keep the jury as it is at present and not have to let any of them go. I have assured him that counsel will resist any effort to take any more men out of the box."

"As his trial progresses, Thaw's spirits continue to improve. He said this morning he wished the trial could go on today. He is impatient over the delays."

Mr. Peabody said that in a conference of counsel Friday night the Thaw defense was discussed in every detail and a decision reached as to just what witnesses will be called.

Ready to Go Ahead.

"Are you ready to go ahead on Monday afternoon?" he was asked.

"We certainly are," was the reply, "if Jerome is sincere in what he says about being ready to open his case on Monday morning and close it at the end of the first session, we are glad of it."

"Will your defense be very lengthy?"

"Yes, it will," said Peabody. "We have a lot of witnesses to call, and I cannot say how long it will take."

It was reported today that there are fifty witnesses on the list of the defense. It may take about three weeks to examine them alone. On rebuttal Jerome is said to have forty witnesses to call, after which the defense will be permitted, if it desires, to introduce witnesses of the sur-rebuttal. With allowances for the delays, prolonged examination of experts, for the summing up of counsel and the charge of the jury, it does not seem that it will be possible to have a verdict before the second week in March.

All Is Ready.

It was said in the office of the District Attorney today that everything is in readiness for the opening of the case on Monday. Garvan's opening will be brief and will be confined to a plain, straightforward, unvarnished recital of the facts of the case as they are seen by the State. Probably fifteen or twenty minutes will suffice for the progress of the State's case. Immediately after Garvan concludes his address, Jerome will begin calling witnesses. He will examine all of the important witnesses himself, and the list will include Patrolman Martin J. Moore, who took Thaw to the West Thirtieth-street (tenderloin) station the night of the shooting; Dr. Timothy Lehan, the coroner's physician who performed the autopsy on White's body; Edward H. Convey, an employe of the Roof Garden; Paul Brudi, the fireman who was on duty that night; Anthony L. Deeb, the policeman who first placed Thaw under arrest; Harry Stevens, caterer in the garden; Lionel J. Lawrence, manager of "Mile. Champagne," the play which was being given at the time of the shooting; Meyer Cohen, a singer of songs; Halsey Warren, of Little Falls, N. Y., who was a spectator and witness of the shooting, and Police Captain "Big Bill" Hodgins.

Other witnesses may be called to prove a motive for the shooting, threats on the part of Thaw and other details to complete the State's case. But the testimony of all these will be brief, and their cross-examination, it is expected, will not take long. The whole will merely serve as an interlude to the tragedy which is to follow when the defense begins the presentation of the story on which Thaw expects to secure his freedom.

Passes Quiet Day.

Thaw passed a quiet day in the Tombs. During the morning Hartridge and Peabody called on him and they had a long conference in the conversation room upstairs just off murderers' row. Later Mrs. Harry Kendall Thaw spent some time with him, and late in the afternoon Peabody again had a chat with him.

The jurors spent the entire day in the Broadway Central Hotel, the inclement weather keeping them indoors. They received calls from their relatives, whom they entertained and transacted some business in the presence of the officers and fellow jurors. All day long press agents for various theaters besieged Captain Lynch with invitations for the jurors to attend this, that or the other show, but no decision could be reached as to which invitation the twelve men wanted to accept. Gerstman, the twelfth juror, received a warm welcome, according to Captain Lynch. He was informed by the jurors that they had waited a long while for him, and that they hoped he would make himself at home and become one of their little family.

Tomorrow, if the weather is pleasant, the jury will be taken for a drive.

HOSTESSES OF LONDON SEASON

Among the Leaders Will be NEW WAY TO USE 'PHONE
Two Prominent American Women.

The new way of using the telephone, supposed to have been hit upon by one of the many health cranks who are concerned with keeping clear of germs, which is to press the receiver against the chest instead of holding it close to the mouth and talking in the usual American hostesses of the London way, the voice, it is claimed, being season proper will be Mrs. Chauncey, carried perfectly, is now quite popular of Brooklyn, who has increased her list in Philadelphia. The least clothing there is between the chest and the receiver, the better, but if the pressure and Mrs. C. C. Glasgow, of Richmond, be firm the usual amount of wearing Va., whose husband is almost as pop-apparel, it is declared, does not interfere. The scientific explanation of this phenomenon is that the sounds of the voice which are made in the chest are tamed largely at her house in Hert-carried by the bones as they would be forced street. She has induced all the by a sounding board.—From the Philadelphia set, with the exception of the Philadelphia set.

RAIN RECORD ESTABLISHED

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continual showers for the next thirty-six hours.

The severe storm of the last two days has done much damage in and about San Francisco. It drove the rain into temporary stores and spoiled hundreds of dollars worth of goods. Traffic has been blocked everywhere. The tracks of the United Railroads have been undermined, the cars been put out of commission by the rain and the service on certain streets has been temporarily abandoned.

More than 500 yards of the ocean beach drive washed by the rain and the waves and it was only the prompt action of Superintendent McLaren of Golden Gate Park that prevented a greater wash. There was a heavy landslide on Ashbury street, stopping travel. Down the county road towards San Mateo washouts have been frequent and of considerable extent. Berkeley, Oakland, Piedmont, Alameda and Marin county have all suffered from the heavy rain and wind.

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We have received instructions to sell the piano, furniture, carpets, wagons, etc., of 615 Fifth street, Oakland, Sale Monday, February 4th, at 11 a. m. comprising in part: Fine piano, odd parlor piano, Brunswick's carpets, lace curtains, iron beds, oak bed room suites, bedchamber, dining table and chairs to match, chinaware, range, two fine buggies, wagon, etc.; also one diamond ring and four gold watches.

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GOVERNOR FOLK SERIOUSLY ILL

Missouri's Executive Threatened With an Attack of Pneumonia.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Feb. 2.—Governor Folk, weakened and broken with the various labors he has met since the opening of the Legislature, was today tormented by a severe cold he has contracted to remain in his bed. Tonight there is the possibility of pneumonia, and some anxiety is felt on the part of his physicians and his family. No callers were received at the executive mansion today.

TOOK HEART IN GOLDEN CASKET

Dowager Marchioness of Butte on Way to the Holy Land.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by the Hearst News Service over longest leased wire in the world.)
LONDON, Feb. 2.—The Dowager Marchioness of Butte, and her daughter, Lady Margaret Crichton-Stuart, have gone on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land, where the late Marquis' heart is buried.

Lady Butte, who owns much real estate in Palestine, left by her husband, is a devout Catholic and has given large donations to the Church of England. After her husband's death, she took his heart, enclosed in a golden casket, to the Holy Land and had it buried on Mount Olivet, at a lonely spot. In accordance with Lord Butte's wishes, no memorial marks the grave of his heart, which is known only to the two or three persons interested.

Lady Margaret Crichton-Stuart is also the owner of property near Jerusalem, including the traditional birthplace of John the Baptist.

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REAL ESTATE MEN TELL OF CONDITIONS HERE

Many Opportunities to Make Splendid Investments—The Congregational Church Property.

One of those best able to compare the real estate conditions on both sides of the bay is Marion Griffin, the Broadway real estate dealer, who prior to coming to Oakland last year had spent several years in the realty business in San Francisco.

"It is a fact," said Mr. Griffin, "that the opportunities existing in Oakland were never known or appreciated by the big majority of San Franciscans until last summer. I considered myself a moderately well-informed man in business and I knew a good deal about realty affairs in Oakland, but I was very much surprised at the actual state of affairs that I discovered when I came here for the purpose of starting in business. Of course, I am well aware that it was a phenomenal opportunity that was thrown Oakland's way last April, but such a sudden growth could not have become permanent if the goods were not here to back it up. Nearly all my San Francisco clients are with me today, and are making investments in Oakland and vicinity. During the past week three of my customers have purchased business property within a block of the City Hall, while I can count at least thirty which during the past three months have purchased dwellings in Oakland."

"This condition is daily growing better and as people know Oakland more, they like it better. It is impossible that this city can ever go back. There is not a single argument that could be advanced that would indicate a possible setback in any direction. A big growing city in order to keep her prestige must not only have a big population, but must also have the necessary industries and activities to supply that population with adequate income. Oakland has both. I have now on my desk letters from over a dozen skilled workmen who knew me in San Francisco and who have found permanent and lucrative employment here and who naturally wish to own their own homes. Some of them are still across the bay who have their homes in San Francisco, but that is a condition that is both expensive and wastes a lot of time. All of these correspondents want to buy a home here and several of them want me to dispose of their little properties in San Francisco and make it possible for them to invest the proceeds where the prospects for work and agreeable living are as good as they are in this city. Not much is heard of this steady branch of the realty business, but it is of equal importance and significance, as the selling of huge business blocks on Broadway that run into seven figures. In every branch of our business the same healthy activity prevails."

"I had no idea that there were so many live people in Oakland or that there were such magnificent possibilities for money to earn money. Commercial and progressive organizations here are doing wonderful work, and I hear of it every day in my letters from all over the State. I see that one of the most recent progressive associations is working to have half a million population in 1910. When that year arrives I believe they will find that their hopes were altogether too modest."

WANT STORES.

"Oakland must look good to thousands of merchants who are anxious to come here and get a share of this city's retail business," said D. F. Minney of Eleventh street.

"We have received more inquiries for store buildings during the past week than we have received for residence property. It is a fact that we are lamentably short on business blocks, but it is gratifying to know that a great number are in course of erection and that the deficiency will soon be relieved. Naturally the greater number of inquiries for stores come from San Francisco, and while I would not be guilty of doing anything to knock the city across the bay, I do feel justified in repeating the statement I heard this week from a San Francisco merchant that Oakland offers a far better opportunity for retail trade at this time than does San Francisco. This merchant explained to me that we were nearer all the surrounding towns and were tied up to them with so many lines of steam and electric railroads that all we have to do is to let the outsiders know we want their trade and it will come here. This is true, and the anxiety to obtain business locations is shown by the radical manner in which almost any money is offered for existing leases or to buy property outright anywhere on Broadway, Washington or Twelfth street."

"There is tremendous activity west of Clay street, between Tenth and Thirteenth streets as far as Market street. In proof of this I will simply say that one piece of property in this section has been transferred three times within the past two months at an aggregate increase of thirty thousand dollars. Every branch of our office is as busy as it can be, and I do not see the slightest reason for not believing that the present activity will not only continue, but become more active as spring opens."

"It is easy to build up a lot of hopes on imagination, but it is not that way with Oakland today. We have half a dozen big railroads all buying up big tracts of land and building depots and terminals, and they are only doing this because with their marvelous experience and foresight they realize that Oakland is to be the commercial and shipping center of this coast."

EAST OAKLAND.

The fact that six electric roads are now running through East Oakland has brought this vast territory much closer to Oakland proper in point of time and has consequently greatly increased the demand for residence property east of the beautiful Lake Merritt. The beautifying of the shores of the lake and the recent acquiring of several park sites in the eastern end of the city, have further stimulated the realty market in this locality.

One of the most active operators in this territory is the Holcomb Realty company, which has also recently acquired and put upon the market the entire townsite of Decoto.

"For a long time East Oakland was somewhat neglected," said Harry Holcomb, president of this concern, "but now things have changed. This beautiful residence district is being accorded the attention that it deserves, and this has largely been brought about by the splendid electric car service with which it is now served. A year ago East Fourteenth street was a narrow unimportant thoroughfare now it has been widened until it is a magnificent boulevard, and the double tracks leave plenty of room for all manner of autos and other vehicles. With one line or another, a car passes along here every four minutes, and naturally such rapid transit has raised values materially. Just to show how property has improved, I will mention the case of a house on East Fourteenth street, near Fourth avenue. It was bought a year ago for \$3500 and this week its owner refused \$4000 for it. We now have several large tracts which a year ago were quite a long way from Oakland in point of time. Now they can be reached in seven or eight minutes, and as the climate in this section is largely known as the thermal belt, it will not be long before the entire district is settled."

"Berkeley, too, is growing more rapidly than ever and we have been forced to open a branch office in that city and have placed Mr. Leopold Jordan in charge. It used to be easy to cover the real estate business in Oakland from one central office, but this city is now so big and is growing so rapidly that it has been necessary to divide it into districts and place a manager with a selling force in each district."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: The writer of the following article desires to have it understood that he had and has no part in the negotiations pending for the purchase of the First Congregational church property. An offer which he made for a client for that property some while ago was considerably under that reported to have been last made, and he now knows of no one who would pay that amount for the property. He has voiced opinions on the subject only as one who is earnestly and actively identified with efforts making for Oakland's growth, betterment and general well, and this has been done only after consultation with others who are prominent in the commercial life of our city.

If it be true, as stated in the public prints, that the First Congregational church has an opportunity to sell its property on Clay street for \$400,000, it is only because it is earnestly desired as a site for a building for mercantile purposes. Were this change made in the status of that property, it would add materially to Oakland's business expansion. Surely, this is a desideratum of prime importance to all Oaklanders, as every one in the community would in a measure participate in the benefits that would accrue.

Clay street is admirably adapted for a high-class retail thoroughfare. It is looked upon by our merchants, and, as well, some of those of San Francisco who are desirous of establishing branch houses here—as the most logical thoroughfare next to be developed as a retail business center. That Broadway and Washington are crowded to their capacity is apparent to all. That necessity exists for the development of another parallel street for commercial purposes is equally apparent. That Clay street should be that street is universally admitted.

Recognizing these facts, the First Methodist church society has arranged to sell its Clay-street holdings, and has thereby earned the commendation of our citizens.

Should a like course be pursued by

SERUM WILL STOP PLUNGER

Wall Street Brokers Have a Laugh at Expense of a Paris Doctor.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—New York Wall street brokers will be amused at the announcement by an imaginative Paris doctor that he can cure the temptation to hazardous speculations by inoculating those who are inclined to "plunge" with a serum.

He was personally acquainted with several victims of bad speculations and equally bad financiers, and he asked them to allow him to open their veins and take out fifty grammes of their blood. After having left this blood to dry in an aseptic receptacle, the serum dashed itself from the dried blood. This serum was put into another phial and used for the purpose of injection into the veins of those who were bitten with the speculation craze.

After two grammes had been inoculated into the patients for a period of eight days, they were said to be cured and all taste for speculation was lost. People are asking themselves what next?

The First Congregational church body, every obstacle to the transforming of this wide, well-paved street into a high-class business thoroughfare, extending as it does from First street to San Pablo avenue, would have been removed.

The great majority of the members of this church are identified with the business interests of Oakland, and, of course, want to see Oakland prosper and her mercantile interests expand. Why, then, should they not contribute to such end collectively by consenting to allow their church site (for a most liberal cash consideration), to pass into the hands of enterprising business men, who would erect thereon an up-to-date structure for mercantile purposes?

It may be well enough to cherish a degree of sentiment in connection with one's old-time church home, but such sentiment should not be suffered to stand as a barrier to the city's business development, and as a source of material injury to enterprising men who have, as in this case, made heavy investments in property in the vicinity of the church, for development into business establishments of magnitude and importance.

An extraordinary price has been offered, it is reported, for this church site, much more than would be tendered were the holding in individual hands. If the church members decline this offer and refuse to sell, it is not likely that so high a price will soon again be obtainable. Such refusal will tend to drive business to another locality.

It would seem that the location of a theater adjacent to this church property is a strong argument in favor of its conversion to business purposes, for attendants at the church will object to passing the theater entrance, running the gauntlet of the customary lined-up sidewalk habits and hangers-on.

If it be a question of realizing more money than has been offered, and for that reason the church body refuses at this time to sell, it is my opinion, based on business experience, that there is never a better time to sell than when there is a desire by some one to buy that particular property. Not one will dispute that, offering to buy the said Clay-street church property at \$2000 per front foot, evidences on the part of the would-be buyer a very earnest desire to buy.

The pastor and the members of the Clay-street church would help the community and help themselves by not standing in the way of the city's commercial expansion and they would earn the highest favor and commendation of the community should they emulate the example of their brothers of the Methodist church and co-operate to promote the material growth and expansion of the city's retail business by allowing their admirably adapted site to be transformed into business property—for a consideration in cash that is munificent.

It is an easy matter to acquire at reasonable figures another site for church purposes, and one not far removed from their present one. This could be paid for and a handsome edifice constructed thereon with the funds realized on sale of their present property, and doubtless they would have a residue to invest as an endowment fund. It is earnestly to be hoped that the public spirit of the members of this church will assert itself and impel them to co-operate for the material progress and betterment of the city.

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FREIGHT AND PASSENGER MONOPOLY TO BE BROKEN

Business Enjoyed in the Santa Clara Valley for Several Years by Southern Pacific Is Shown.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 2.—That the monopoly of an extensive freight and passenger business enjoyed in Santa Clara valley for years by the Southern Pacific Railroad is about to be broken became evident yesterday when petitions were placed in circulation by the real estate agents' association, promising the Western Pacific Railroad company the patronage of local merchants in return for the extension of the projected Gould line into San Jose.

Anticipating the possible invasion of San Jose by the Western Pacific in its advance from Salt Lake City to San Francisco, the Hartman people, it is said, have been busy for weeks strengthening their local position by additional purchases of terminal facilities.

That the majority of the residents of San Jose are anxious to encourage railroad competition is proven by their willingness to sign the petitions. Hundreds of names are being secured. When the petitions shall have been closed they will be forwarded to the offices of the Western Pacific at New York City. In so many words, the signers invite the Gould road to connect San Jose with its main line. It is further agreed that if this is done, every effort will be made to see that the Western Pacific gets its share of the railroad business in this section of the valley. The promotion committee of the real estate agents' association, composed of the following named citizens, is behind the movement to extend the Gould line to San Jose.

Line: W. L. Crowe, chairman; W. S. Orvis, J. E. Fisher, T. S. Montgomery and T. C. Barnett.

W. B. Townsend, San Jose representative of the Gould lines, in commenting upon the action of the real estate agents' association, said:

"This action will be most gratifying to the directors of the Western Pacific and will, no doubt, result in San Jose being the first important city off the main line to be connected with it. The action of the realty men will show the officers of the road that the citizens are in favor of having the road cross this valley. While it eventually would come here anyway, I believe that the invitation will bring the road here much sooner and that the branch from San Jose to Niles will be finished almost as soon as the main line. It is only eighteen miles from San Jose to Niles. It would be poor railroad business, it seems to me, to slight such an enormous shipping field as this. Mr. Gould has the reputation of being second to none in his field, so far as good business tactics are concerned, and I am confident that San Jose will soon have competitive freight rates to the East. Much enthusiasm has been manifested in the San Joaquin valley over the coming of the Western Pacific and the real estate men of Fresno already have petitioned the road to come there. By tapping the Santa Clara, Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys the road will be sure of a large volume in the trade of the most fertile sections of the State. Neither this nor any other railroad is building eight hundred miles of track for fun, and the citizens can rest assured that San Jose will not be overlooked in the branches of the Western Pacific."



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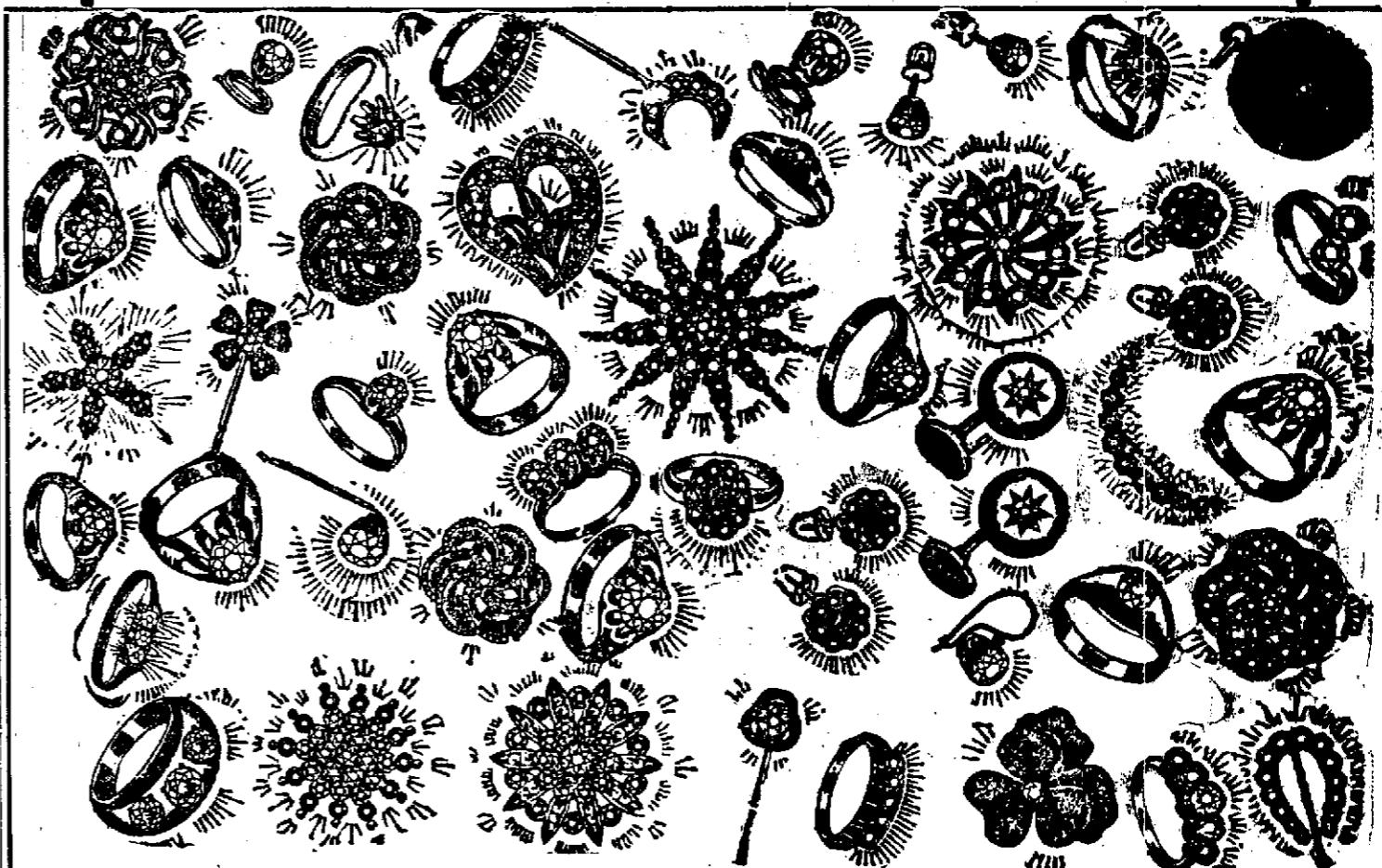
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10c Worth 12½c—Edgings and Insertions: in dainty little patterns; many in matched sets; Colored Embroidery, 4½-yard strips, in pink, blue, navy, and red on white, white on red, and navy on black; these will be sold in 2½ and 4½ yard strips only.

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48c Worth 75c; 98c Worth \$1.50—Elaborate Flouncings, Corset Cover Embroideries and Bands; upward to 17 inches wide; in open and blind effects; English, French and Swiss designs.

15c Worth 25c—Colored Embroidery, in 4½-yard strips. They will be sold by the strip only.

38c Worth 50c—Corset Cover Embroideries and Flouncings, in a variety of handsome patterns.

15c Worth 25c—Edgings, 4 to 7 inches wide; Insertions, upward to 3 inches wide; in showy, open patterns on Swiss and cambric.

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\$7.50 Embroidered Robes, \$4.95—Embroidered Robes; a shaped skirt, with knee flounce of embroidery; waist set to match; plain material, with embroidery to match skirt.

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A Positive Saving to You on Every Garment

Hale's annual events are important to every woman. It is the time of the year to buy underwear for months ahead. The saving in prices is important to you.

Here are Gowns, Corset Covers, Chemises, Drawers and Long and Short Skirts in almost unlimited variety of styles; and all are carefully made; values that have made Hale's underwear so well known.

This department tomorrow will be very attractive with its vast showing of new goods—and it will pay you to see the many exceptional values that await you. Here are a few hints of the prices:

Women's Gowns

- 49c Gowns—Many different styles; some with four rows of torchon lace and clusters of hemstitched tucks, and hemstitched edge; others with tucked yoke.
- 69c Gowns—Four different styles; yoke of lace insertion; high neck, with embroidered insertion and tucks; round neck, some with all-over embroidery and others with row of lace and ruffles.
- 89c Gowns—Five different styles; lace, embroidery or plain tucked yoke. Others at \$1.18, \$1.98 and \$2.48.

Women's Corset Covers

- 18c Corset Covers—With square yoke; edged with torchon lace.
- 25c Corset Covers—Two styles; one with three rows of lace insertion and lace edge; the other with deep edge of Torchon lace and run with ribbon.
- 48c Corset Covers—With three rows of fine lace insertion; finished with ribbon and lace edge.
- 58c Corset Covers—With round yoke of French embroidery, run with ribbon and embroidered edge. Others at 98c, \$1.18 and \$1.48.

Women's Drawers

- 23c Drawers—Made of good muslin, with flounce; trimmed with wide lace and three hemstitched tucks.
- 49c Drawers—Umbrella flounce, cluster of tucks and embroidered edge; others with lace or embroidered edge. Also extra size Drawers of plain design.
- 69c Drawers—French cut; with dainty ruffle; hemstitching and cording.
- \$1.18 Drawers—With umbrella flounce and two rows of lace insertion and lace edge. Others at 98c and \$1.48.

Women's Long Skirts

- 68c Skirts—With ruffle and hemstitched tucks; good values.
- 78c Skirts—Dainty ruffle, with one row of lace insertion, edging and cluster of tucks.
- 98c Skirts—Deep flounce, with three rows of lace insertion and cluster of two tucks between; ruffle with edging of lace.
- \$1.48 Skirts—Deep flounce, edged with wide embroidery and eight tucks. Others at \$1.18, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.98, \$3.48 and \$4.98.

A Saving on Every Item in This Department

Towels, Napkins, Table Cloths

This is one of the most important attractions in our White event

The reliability of our linens, and the low prices have attracted much attention in the past. Our advantageous buying in quantities enables us to offer great inducements as to variety, design, quality and price.

You will save money by buying your linens at Hale's. Attend this event tomorrow.

15,000 Heavy Cotton Towels—All sizes and qualities; huck weave; 14x28 inches, 50 each; 14x30 inches, 64c each; 18x32 inches, 80c each; 18x33 inches, 81c each; 18x36 inches, 100c each.

Mercerized Damask—Looks like finest linen; wears and washes well; 58 inches wide, 85c yard; 68 inches wide, 40c yard; 58 inches wide, 45c yard; 68 inches wide, 50c yard; 63 inches wide, 60c yard.

Damask—Heavy quality cotton; in dice and figured patterns; 58 inches wide; 25c yard.

Heavy-weave Unbleached Damask—66 inches wide, 26c yard; 58 inches wide, 35c yard; 70 inches wide, 50c yard; 62 inches wide, 65c yard; 72 inches wide, 75c yard.

Extra Heavy Hotel Linens—Unbleached; 54 inches wide, 75c yard; 60 inches wide, 80c yard; 66 inches wide, 90c yard; 72 inches wide, \$1.00 yard.

Bleached Napkins—Variety of patterns; 18x18 inches, \$1.00 dozen; 18x18 inches, \$1.15 dozen; 20x20 inches, \$1.50 dozen; 22x22 inches, \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00 dozen; 24x24 inches, \$3.50 dozen; 26x26 inches, \$3.75 dozen.

Hemstitched Linen Cloths—8-4, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 each.

Damask Pattern Cloths—All linen; choice patterns; 8-4, \$2.25 each; 10-4, \$3.00 each; 12-4, \$3.50 each. Napkins to match, 22x22 inches, \$3.25 dozen.

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All are new spring goods—some of the best patterns that we have ever shown in this line. Every one an elaborate design; some in openwork and blind effects; others finished in heavy, corded effects. Scarfs are 18x54 inches and squares are 32x32 inches. 49c each is exceptionally low for these goods of quality. See them on display tomorrow at Hale's.



The large stock in this department and the exceptionally low prices appeal to every woman who realizes the important saving and the advantages in buying now. The line comprises Drawers, Skirts, Combination Waists and Skirts, Separate Waists and Infants' Slips. Slips are all one size. Drawers and Skirts, for children from 1 to 10 years of age.

You may outfit the children now at small outlay

- 10c Child's Waist—With straps and buttons.
- 10c Child's Drawers—With cluster of tucks and hemstitched hem.
- 25c Child's Gown—With yoke of tucks and ruffles.
- 25c Infants' Slips—Made of soft cambric.
- 25c Children's Drawers—With cluster of tucks and embroidered edge.

- 25c Child's Skirt—With ruffle finished with hemstitched hem and cluster of tucks.
- 50c Child's Gown—Made of good muslin, with yoke of cluster of five tucks and hemstitched wider tuck.
- 50c Combination Waist and Skirt—With flounce of lace insertion and edge.
- 50c Drawers and Waist Skirts—Made with flounce and run with insertion and lace edge.

Exceptionally Good Values in

Men's Furnishing Goods

Night Shirts, Handkerchiefs and Ties

There is money saved by buying men's goods at Hale's—and with such a wide range of choice you are certain to be pleased. A few hints of the goods and prices are given here—and all are Hale's good goods.

- Men's Hemstitched Cambric Handkerchiefs, 5c each—Made of good quality cambric; full, large size and neatly hemstitched.
- Men's 12½c Linen-Flashed Cambric Handkerchiefs, 2 for 25c—Hemstitched; large size.
- Men's 15c Extra Quality White Cambric Handkerchiefs, 10c—Fine linen finish; large size and neatly hemstitched.
- Men's All-White Handkerchiefs, 2 for 25c—Large size; very soft.
- Men's Extra Quality All-White Handkerchiefs, 15c—Large size; neatly hemstitched.

- Men's All-White Handkerchiefs, 25c each; \$2.75 a dozen—Best quality; neatly hemstitched; large size.
- Men's Muslin Night Shirts, 50c each—Good quality muslin; full size; 52 inches long; collars and fronts trimmed with fancy braid; all sizes, 15 to 18.
- Men's White Lawn Folded Ties, 10c, 15c and 25c dozen—Good quality lawn; neatly hemstitched.
- Men's White Muslin Night Shirts, 75c—Trimmed with fancy silk braid; all sizes.

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BODY FOUND IN ESTUARY

Mystery in Death of Man Believed to Have Been a Sailor.

The body of an unknown middle-aged man who was found drifting face downward with the first of the ebb tide in the estuary about seventy-five feet off the Alaska Packers Association wharf, at the foot of Grand street, Alameda, yesterday about 1:30 o'clock, by a boy named Jose.

NO FOUL PLAY.
The dead man was about fifty-five years of age and was clad in a tan gray overcoat, blue coat and vest. The hair of the dead man was slightly gray and he had a gray mustache. A portion of the eyes had been discolored, but otherwise there was no trace of decomposition.

HIS DESCRIPTION.
In life the decedent stood five feet nine inches and weighed about 150 pounds. He was clad in a tan gray overcoat, blue coat and vest. The hair of the dead man was slightly gray and he had a gray mustache. A portion of the eyes had been discolored, but otherwise there was no trace of decomposition.

THOUGHT IT A PILLAR.
Young Jose was hunting along the estuary, and upon seeing what he thought to be a pillar drifting with the tide, he rowed out to make further investigation, and much to his horror he discovered that the supposed wood was the body of a dead man. The youth made sure that the body would not be carried down stream by the ebb tide, and quickly notified Deputy Coroner C. H. Weaver of Alameda. The dead man was taken to the Alameda morgue and placed on a slab awaiting its identity.

INQUEST MONDAY.
The remains will be at the Alameda morgue, 2322 Santa Clara avenue. An inquest is likely to be held Monday. In the meantime it will be held for identification.

IDENTITY A MYSTERY.
There was nothing on the man's person to divulge his name or anything to lead to his identity.

There was a report from Point Richmond several days ago concerning a man who had gone fishing and failed to return, but it is hardly expected that the body at Alameda is the same as the missing party from Contra Costa county.

How do they coin a word? Schilling's Best coined moneyback.

ORDERED AS NAVAL AIDS TO PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Lieutenants C. R. Miller and R. C. Bulmer, U. S. N., on duty in this city, have been ordered to additional duty as naval aides to the President at the White House.

NEW PLAYS AT LOCAL THEATERS NEXT WEEK

"The Ham Tree" at Macdonough Theater
—"Wizard of Nile" Opens at Idora Park.

McIntyre and Heath, in Klaw & Herbert's production of George N. Herbert's musical vaudeville, "The Ham Tree," will be the attraction in this city at the Macdonough theater next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday nights and Wednesday matinee. This is one of the funniest and most interesting shows now on the stage. It was first presented at the New York theater in New York, where it made two long runs, and since then has been seen in Philadelphia, Pitts-



JAMES MCINTYRE
in "The Ham Tree" at the Macdonough.

burgh, Chicago and other large cities. In each of these cities the New York verdict was repeated. McIntyre and Heath are undoubtedly the cleverest of negro character impersonators. In this production they are surrounded by a great company of over 100 people, they appearing to better advantage than at any other time during their career. Their old skit, "The Georgia Minstrels," has been incorporated into the new play in such a clever way that it becomes a part of the story, and in the second act they keep an audience convulsed by their funny description of their straits as stranded minstrels. Throughout the play twelve musical numbers are presented by the principals and chorus. "The Ham Tree"

is most elaborately mounted with magnificent scenery and brilliant costumes. Seats now on sale.

YE LIBERTY PLAYHOUSE
Notwithstanding the enormous business the great production of "Old Heidelberg" has been doing this week at Ye Liberty, Mr. Bishop will adhere strictly to his rule of giving his patrons a new play every week, and the final performance of "Heidelberg" will take place this evening. Playgoers never seem to tire of this pretty little story of German college life, with charming love scenes and human sympathy, and it could easily run another week to good business.

On Monday "The Whittawashing of Julia" will be presented for the first time in Oakland. It is a comedy by Henry Arthur Jones, the celebrated English dramatist, and enjoyed an immense amount of popularity when it was produced in England, and later in New York. "The Hypocrites" is a keen satire on the higher walks of English society life.



THOMAS HEATH
in "The Ham Tree" at the Macdonough.

the central figure being Julia (Mrs.) When a young woman who had formerly moved in the best society but who had recently had a bad place against her by the ladies of the surrounding country, owing to her connection with a scandal, the rumors of which, however, having never been fully confirmed or denied. After much wrangling and plotting on both sides, Julia finally gets rid of her enemies to suit by marrying the brother of Lady Pinkney, the leader of the opposition to her, and after matters have been adjusted and explained, all ends happily.

In the role of Julia, Isabelle Fletcher remembers that it was Victor Herbert, her talents, and Franklin Underwood, as Mr. Stillington, her lover, has an excellent role. The balance of the cast will be in the hands of Henry Shumier, George Friend, George Webster, Robert Harrison, Henry Auerbach, Ben McGuire, George Cooper, Irene Quillen, Madeline Rutledge and Eva Van Cleave. The settings will be unique and handsome, one of them representing the interior of a large tent, and as the ladies of the company have unusual opportunities for dressing, some handsome gowns may be expected.

"The Dictator," Willie Collier's great comedy success, is announced to follow.

IDORA PARK

Commencing Monday evening, the splendid opera company at Idora Park will present one of those brilliant modern comic operas, "The Wizard of the Nile," with music by Victor Herbert, the most popular composer of comic opera now living, and book by Harry B. Smith.

"The Wizard" has an exceptionally funny plot and keeps the audience in one continual roar of laughter. The music is of exceptional beauty, and when one remembers that it was Victor Herbert who composed "The Idler's Eye," "Roses in Teyland," "It Happened in Norway," "The Scenic," "The Scenic," "The Scenic," and a dozen other great musical successes, one must expect Monday's offering to be delightful.

The scene is laid in Egypt, and the scenic artist and costume have ample opportunities for gorgeousness of display, and the production of the opera is under the management at Idora Park takes advantage of such opportunities. We E. E. Gorman, one of the most prominent and experienced theatrical men in the United States, visited Idora Park a few nights since and said that he had never seen such a stock production of light opera as they give at our little home opera house.

The cast for "The Wizard" includes: Ferris Hartman, Walter De Leon, Joseph Fogarty, Eugene Weiner, Arthur Cunningham, Sybil Page, Hope Mayne, Bernice Holmes and Lillian Raymond. The orchestra and chorus have most important work in this opera, and under Paul Steinhardt's able direction we are sure of perfection in those departments.

Following the run of "The Wizard," which should be a long one, another Victor Herbert success, "The Scenic," will be offered.

The open air concerts Sunday evenings at 7 o'clock will be resumed from today on, and excellent music will be rendered under the direction of George Williams, with William Mahood as conductor.

The new skating pavilion has proved to be all that the management's fondest hopes looked for. The floor is perfect, the attendants polite and careful, the instructors most capable and the conveniences all that could possibly be provided.

Many more improvements are contemplated and the summer season at Idora will be a record-breaker.

ROSENTHAL TO PLAY

The first great soloist ever engaged by the University of California for one of its symphony concerts is Molt Rosenthal, the most wonderful pianist living. Manager Will Greenbaum has arranged for this artist to play two great concertos, March 1 and 2, at the University of California. He has been many years since our music lovers have had the opportunity of hearing great works played with the original accompaniment, and they will grasp this opportunity with avidity.

The works selected by Rosenthal for this auspicious occasion are Chopin's Concerto in E minor and Saint-Saens in A flat major.

BELL THEATER

Edwin T. Emery and his clever company of players will appear at the Bell Theater, this city, commencing Monday, for a limited season, presenting a series of Mr. Emery's well-known and successful vaudeville plays. Mr. Emery, who has a host of friends here, needs no introduction to the theater-goers of this city. His clever work in the past at various local theaters has stamped him an actor of high rank. His supporting company embraces good talent, and includes Miss Alice DeWitt, one of the handsomest leading women on the stage. There in the supporting cast are Al Lutteringer, Emil Aberton, Lillian Laicus, Viola Lambert and Frank Thompson.

The first play to be presented will be the delightful story of the Lope Star

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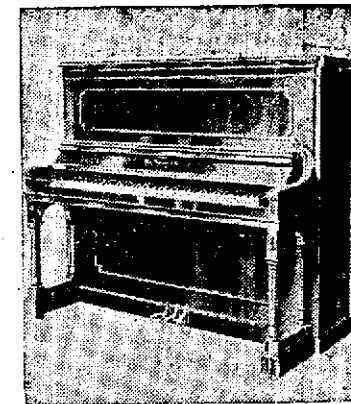


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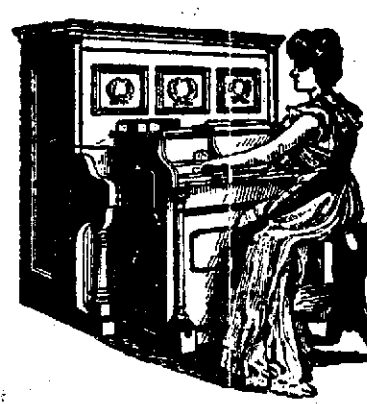
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RIDDLE MET BY EMBASSY STAFF

American Ambassador Is Honored on His Arrival in St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 2.—John W. Riddle, former American minister at Bucharest, who succeeds George von L. Meyer as American ambassador here, arrived this morning, and was met by the staff of the embassy and conducted to the Hotel de France, where he has taken rooms until he is able to secure permanent quarters.

Montgomery Schuyler Jr., first secretary of the embassy, here, will remain at Bucharest by the staff of the embassy, and G. Knowles, recently appointed minister to Roumania and Serbia, arrives there in April.

NOTED CHEMIST DIES IN ST. PETERSBURG

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 2.—Prof. Mendeleeff, the celebrated chemist died here today.

Prof. Dmitry Ivan Mendeleeff received last year at a meeting of the royal society of London, the Copley gold medal, esteemed among chemists as being a high honor. He was born in Siberia in 1834 and in addition to being a distinguished chemist, was a geologist, philosopher and educator. In 1871 he foretold not only the existence of the general properties of three new chemical elements, each of which is now in the table of elements under the names of gallium, scandium and germanium, respectively, thus it has been stated, justifying his own words that the periodic law would unknown to be known.

State, entitled "Texas," by H. D. Cottrell, and arranged for the presentation of Mr. Emery, under whose direction all the plays are staged. The entire scenic equipment will be painted new for the production at the Bell. This play has been the sensation of the season wherever it has been presented, and marks a new era in vaudeville, of which the Bell management has not been slow to take advantage.

While the appearance of Mr. Emery and his company at the Bell will supply the feature of the program, there will be several acts of high-class vaudeville. The program will include seven acts, among them being Kimball brothers comedians and cross-fire artists, who are well known throughout the west; the Kaufman sisters in a unique sketch entitled "The First Smoke," during which some clever dancing is introduced; the Alpine family, four famous English acrobats who perform marvelous feats in mid-air; the Ellingtons, crack bicycle riders, and two reels of motion pictures.

THE MISSOURI GIRL

"The Missouri Girl" is a comedy drama that produces more genuine, hearty laughter than anything else yet written. In connection with a strong and interesting plot it contains the most inter-

MRS. ROOSEVELT AIDS THE DYING

Offers Carriage to Stricken Wife of Senator Gallinger at Theater Party.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Mary A. Gallinger, wife of Senator Jacob M. Gallinger, of New Hampshire, was stricken with heart failure about 8:30 tonight in the lobby of the Belasco Theater and died before an ambulance arrived. Mrs. Gallinger had been suffering with heart trouble by indigestion.

Senator Gallinger had planned to entertain several friends at a box party. They had just entered the lobby when Mrs. Gallinger complained of feeling ill. She was assisted inside the theater and set down. It was decided to remove her in a carriage to the Normandie where the Senator and his wife made their Washington home. As they were carrying Mrs. Gallinger out Mrs. Roosevelt's party was just coming into the theater. Mrs. Roosevelt offered her landau but a carriage had already been procured. Just before the ambulance arrived Mrs. Gallinger died. The remains will be taken to Concord on the train leaving Washington Monday evening.

cross situations ever conceived. The company presented the play this season is composed of some of the best-known people in the theatrical profession, who are fully capable of extracting this fun, and doing it out to the public in a most satisfactory manner. Nine of the old favorites remain in the cast; some of them have played their respective roles continuously for eight seasons. This guarantees a first-class performance. The new people added for this season were selected for their peculiar fitness for the roles they are to assume and it is safe to predict that a better "change" line can safely be added to the advertising matter.

The vaudeville portion of the show has been enlarged and strengthened. The production will be seen in its entirety at the Macdonough theater tonight and matinee today.

NOVELTY THEATER

The Novelty theater, as usual, has an excellent bill for next week. Manager Smith has arranged a program that will please everybody. The Novelty is doing a great business.

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The Missionary in San Francisco.

Jacob Riis, who has a habit of turning up, like a bad penny, where there is anything sensational supposed to be going on, has arrived in San Francisco. He is surprised to find that everything is peaceful; that the Japanese are not being mobbed in the streets nor molested in any way; that the only popular excitement that prevails has been provoked by the fiery fulminations from the White House; that Japanese stores are filled with white customers; that the Japanese generally are pursuing their daily avocations in quiet and peace. The surprise of Mr. Riis is a tribute to the misinformation of the East. It shows how completely the people of the Atlantic States have been misled by their local newspapers and the ridiculous libel that only the vicious and disorderly elements of California society favor race separation in the schools.

The surprise of Mr. Riis at the calm and peaceful attitude of the people of this State is not unmixed with disappointment. Ever since he came to this country from Denmark he has been imbued with the belief that it is his mission to reform the morals and politics of the American people. He has made the propagation of the Riis idea of public and private virtue a steady pursuit, and has made money and achieved notoriety by following his trade. As a professional philanthropist he has made it his business to butt into every controversy that will permit him to exploit fatulent humbug about humanitarianism, and to advertise himself as wiser and better than the people whose affairs he presumes to regulate.

No doubt he is astonished to find that the public officials of San Francisco are not murdering Japanese to drink their blood and going around knocking strangers on the head with joints of gaspipe and rifling their pockets. It is a shock to him to find that the relief fund has not been looted and that the city treasury holds millions of unstolen money. It is a still greater shock to learn that the men belonging to the labor unions are all busy at work and not marching around in mobs wrecking the houses of Chinese and Japanese and looting the stores and banks.

The Riis person is exceedingly tiresome. The meffable goodness he parades so ostentatiously is an affront to self-respecting, sensible people who are too busy attending to their own business to meddle with the affairs of others. It must be said, however, that some of the San Francisco papers have given persons addicted to the Riis habit their cue; have scattered broadcast an impression that San Francisco is going to the demeriton bow-wow, that a spirit of hoodlumism is rife throughout California, and that thieves and thugs sit in the high places. Some of our newspapers take an especial delight in picturing the communities in which they are published as besotted with social and political corruption, that venality is the rule in official life; that commercial activities reek with dishonesty and crime; that the judiciary is corrupt and cowardly, and that all civic virtue and social integrity are lodged in a small minority.

The testimony of our press stands in the record against the glowing invitations extended by the Promotion Committee for strangers to settle and invest among us. It has earned us the contempt of thoughtful people and the insult of Jake Riis' commiseration. The moral stench in the Massachusetts State House would indicate that the Sacred Codfish enshrined in that edifice is in the last stages of decay, but the Bostonians simply hold their noses while they frostily regard California as steeped in crime and degradation. And Jake Riis comes from Mulberry street, New York, to offer us his services as a purifying agent. All because some California newspapers have for many months shrieked "graft" like Crazy Jane at a bullpunchers' dance. Yet the mass of Californians are unmoved at the spectacle we present at a distance, and are cheerily building cities and improving farms and roads and bettering society in a practical and methodical way. Even Riis finds that they are working energetically, intelligently and peacefully, and sighs because riot, rapine and confusion do not prevail. The certificate of character he will give us on his return to New York, however, will be a reflection of what the San Francisco papers have been printing for months and not an honest judgment on conditions as he found them.

Taxation and the State University.

Judging from the utterances of some newspapers and legislators, it is the popular impression that the State University is maintained almost wholly by public taxation. This is far from the fact. It is true that the university at Berkeley is a State institution, created by State law, and governed in accordance with statutes enacted by the Legislature, but it derives its income largely from endowment funds given by private individuals and the Federal government. Last year public taxation yielded less than half the revenue, the bulk of the receipts coming from donations and interest on endowment funds. To be exact, the State of California contributed 43.4 per cent; 26.7 per cent came by gift of private citizens; 17.7 per cent from an endowment created in large part by such gifts in the past; 3.7 per cent from the national government; 5.2 per cent from the students, and 3.3 per cent from other sources.

If we turn to the building account the same fact will be observable. Private benefaction provides in large part for the housing of the university. The Hearst mining building and the Harmon gymnasium are donations. So is Hearst Hall, the gymnasium for women students, and the Greek theater. The bequest of Charles F. Doe will give the university about half a million for the erection of a suitable library, of which the university stands in great need. The Lick Observatory and the Wilmerding Trades School are both private benefactions. The medical department is also privately endowed.

As the years go on the endowments will increase, and the State's proportion of the expense of maintaining the university will decrease. This is an argument for the State treating the institution liberally now, when it needs help and enlarged facilities. One of the most urgent needs is a suitable building for the Agricultural College, for which the Legislature is asked to appropriate \$250,000. This sum should be promptly voted, along with other measures calculated to broaden the sphere of the university's usefulness and better equip it as a seat of higher learning. The university should not be treated in a narrow, illiberal or sectional spirit nor from a mistaken standpoint of what it is costing the taxpayers to maintain it.

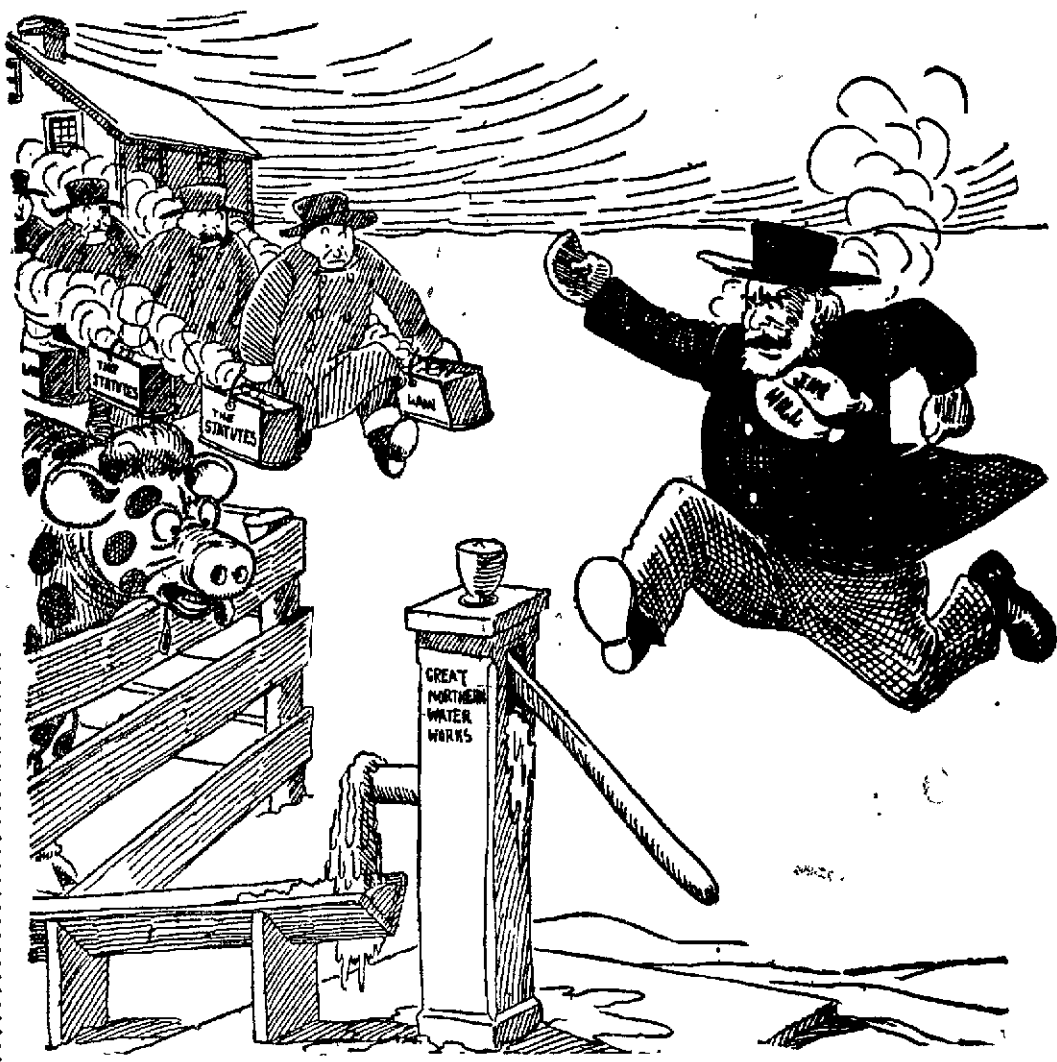
THE PUBLIC AND THE THEATER.

Are we a city people?

Frequent articles in our local press urging co-operation and exhorting the people to live up to their opportunities, would indicate that there is a weakness somewhere and lead one to consider whether or not we are guilty of the allegation that we are a jay town. Consider it a moment, and if there is the least taint of jayness, the beginning of the new year is a good time to throw off the stigma.

Fine buildings, splendid thoroughfares, gorgeous cafes, stores

MINNESOTA IS TO HAVE A "THAW" CASE.



—CHICAGO RECORD-HERALD.

and places of amusement after all do not make a city; the personal element must be considered, viz: the extent we make use of these conveniences. When we consider this I am tempted to think that after all we are townspeople living in a city. Business is good, our stores are well patronized, our places of amusement are running, but the question is, are we supporting them as city people should?

A large sum of money spent in street lighting and our merchants turning out the lights in their windows at 10:30 p. m. or thereabouts and the fact that many commodities, including newspaper advertising, are cheaper here than in San Francisco, would suggest a weakness, and that Wells-Fargo alone ships to Oakland from San Francisco 7000 pounds of freight every day on an average, shows there is a reason that proves the weakness, and that the people are not slow to realize the fact. I don't pretend to solve the problem, the matter of music and drama is what interests me at the moment.

A few weeks after the April disaster the Bell theater opened its doors, and the city press sent their critics to chronicle the fact. Ye Liberty, the Macdonough, Idora Park and others followed suit, and the night trains to San Francisco were crowded with theatergoers. Now that the weather is not so favorable the city patronage has fallen off, and what is the result? The Eastern attractions have not been a success, because of a mistake the management made. A theater cannot run a first-class show one week and a second-class the week following, so their experience cannot be taken as a criterion. Ye Liberty has put on some good productions, which have been fairly well patronized, and Idora Park has given Oaklanders a season of operatic work which has not received the support it deserves. On a basis of a population of 250,000, with one-sixteenth of the number theatergoers, every theater in Oakland ought to be crowded every night in the week if each patron went but once a month. A crowded house on Saturdays, Sundays and matinees will keep the theaters from starving, but is not much of an inducement to managers to raise the tone and scope of their performances, and they, like our merchants, give the quality and style of wares the public demand. Their success is measured by the good, and that they will give if the public support them. The theater is a product of our civilization, not its genesis, and a stream cannot rise higher than its source.

Our business standing is now assured; we have the population and can keep it, and it behooves us to further everything that will make our city attractive to tourists and prospective residents. Music and drama are too closely allied to education to be neglected, both bring business of a good sort and give a metropolitan aspect to our city and a tone to our people. Let us see what the new year will do for us in this respect.

In a few months the Orpheum will be open and will cater to a class we have not been able to take care of in the past. The musical institutions of our university have big plans for the summer, and I hope they will see their way clear to give evening performances at a price which will enable all classes of people to attend. The Eastern bookings will still come a few nights in the week to the Macdonough, and Ye Liberty, with the early opening of a Bishop theater in San Francisco, will be enabled to do better than they have ever done before. The announcement of the early rendition of "The Serenade," "The Highwayman," "The Queen's Lace Handkerchief," "King Dodo" and other high-class operas, indicate that Will Greenbaum is going to make a big struggle to place that theater in the same rank as the old Tivoli. He, as well as the other manager, is too wise to set such a pace and then expect to succeed with less. Mme. Schumann-Heink, the world's greatest contralto, appeared at an evening performance, and the subscription concert series being engineered by Messrs. Greenbaum and Paul Steindorff, is an ambitious scheme worked on the same plan that have made London and New York the greatest musical centers in the world. The newsboys selling THE TRIBUNE on the streets of San Francisco and our playhouses advertising in the city as well as the home papers are the greatest advertisements that Oakland can get. Then she is bidding for and getting outside trade in a manner that is not hidden in the leaves of a business ledger but is open to the gaze of all comers; 1907 comes to us laden with opportunities; let us embrace them and we will have "The City Beautiful," not only to the eyes but to the heart and life.

MACKAY SUTHERLAND.

ANTI-POOL BILL COMES MONDAY

Impression Prevails Measure Receives No Recommendation From Committee.

Special to THE TRIBUNE. SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—Assemblyman Beckett of San Francisco has informed Assemblyman Eshelman of Berkeley that the committee on public morals, of which he is chairman, will on Monday next report the Eshelman bill making it an offense to sell pools in connection with a horse race in this State. Eshelman is of the opinion that there will be a favorable recommendation connected with the measure, but certain members of the committee have informed THE TRIBUNE correspondent that the bill will go back to the House without a recommendation of any kind. Eshelman says that he is confident of passing the bill in the lower House and that he knows there is a strong sentiment in the Senate in favor of the measure.

MORE PERNICIOUS POLICE ACTIVITY

Editor TRIBUNE: What's the matter with the police of Oakland? Only a few days ago I read of three unoffending citizens who were arrested while returning home late at night. This afternoon, about 4 o'clock, while taking home some of my tools from the Southern Pacific coach shops, where I have recently been employed at my trade as car builder and carpenter, I was pounced upon by a policeman at Seventh and Pine streets, who arrested me for stealing my own tools and took me down to the station and placed me in a cell. Such a dirty, sly trick, too. I protested and, after much argument, another policeman was detailed to escort me down to the Southern Pacific shops, where I had no trouble in proving my ownership of the tools. I still have a good many tools at the shops; must I get a written permit to allow me to carry them home? I am a taxpayer and a citizen of this city since last October, and have been trying my best to secure steady employment on this side of the bay, but so far have had to rely upon San Francisco. Is this the solution to the inability to procure employment on this side of the bay—that the police are so vigilant (or what else may I call it) that a man may not carry his own tools upon the street? I think it is an outrage. Respectfully, J. E. S.—Subscriber. Oakland, January 29, 1907.

WANTS MONEY FOR HEARST AVENUE

Special to THE TRIBUNE. SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—Assemblyman Eshelman of Berkeley has introduced a bill in the lower house calling for an appropriation of \$2900 for the repairing of the half of Hearst avenue in Berkeley which lies in front of the property of the University of California. It seems that the recent storm have washed away a great deal of the roadway and it is desired that when the time comes for the repair of the same the work be done for the sake of the town and the university. The matter has been referred to the committee on ways and means. Hearst avenue is said to be one of the most beautiful thoroughfares in the University Town.

SANFORD WANTS OLD AUSTRALIAN BALLOT

Special to THE TRIBUNE. SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—Senator Sanford of Utah has introduced a bill abolishing the present system of balloting and substituting the original Australian ballot design. He is opposed to the method which enables a whole ticket to be voted by simply stamping a cross within a circle. He wants the columns containing the party nominations done away with and the candidates of all parties assembled under the head of each office. This system, he says, would cause a man to think when voting and would show that he had made a study of and taken an interest in what he was doing. The bill has gone to the committee on elections.

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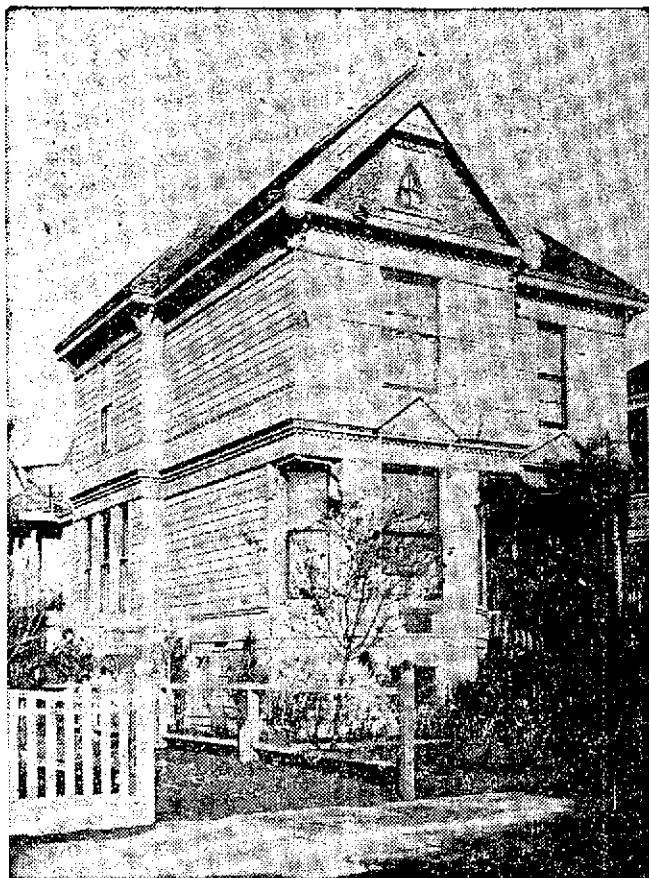
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- \$5,000** For this property only 450 feet from the corner of Twenty-sixth and Telegraph where the ground is very valuable. Just being remodeled into two flats of three and five rooms. Will rent for \$57.50 per month. Good for a quick turn.
- \$3,300** 1194 Park St., Alameda. Dandy new five room modern cottage not quite completed. Lot 26x122. Will finish to suit buyer.



- \$5,000** For this splendid 10 room fully modern house at 2212 Clinton Ave.; two man-ties and interior finish of curly Redwood. Ground 26x122. This is a fine property and should go quick at this price.

We own the above eight properties and offer them at 10 per cent off of the list price if sold before Tuesday, February 5, 6 o'clock p. m. Look them over, if you want to go inside. Kindly come to our office for permission. Please do not disturb tenants.

Where exact locations are given we trust prospective buyers will not disturb tenants without first getting permission from our office.

Business and Investment Property

- \$225,000** Broadway corner 100 feet square, 2 story brick improvements. This is under old leases that will soon expire. Judging by recent Broadway sales, this property is really close to \$300,000.
- \$65,000** 10th Street between Broadway and Franklin, adjoining Enquirer Building. Ground 50x100 with 2-story buildings. This central property should be resold again at a handsome profit within a short time.
- \$40,000** Northwest corner of 24th and San Pablo, 60x100 feet with good one and two story improvements, now renting for \$240 per month with no leases. The many substantial improvements now being made in this neighborhood and the great demand for property here is rapidly forcing up prices. It will soon be impossible to get a good corner in this section for less than \$1000 per foot.
- \$37,500** 25x100 feet on Twelfth street, directly opposite New Orpheum Theater property. Most any kind of building here will bring a good income and this is the very center of present activity.
- \$37,500** Splendid income property on S.W. Corner of Harrison and 6th streets. Improvements consist of three 3 story flat buildings with a total of fifty rooms. These buildings are under a ten year lease at \$300 per month. Guaranteed by collateral security to the amount of \$10,000. The ground 100 feet square, is not entirely covered by the present buildings. Consider the amount of ground, improvements, income and location. Where else can you do as well for the price?
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POPULATION OF OAKLAND

1900	-	-	66,960
1905	-	-	110,000
1907	-	-	225,000

BANK DEPOSITS

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ONE of the features of the evangelistic meetings this evening at the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, will be the violin playing of Miss Alice Davies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davies, of this city. Although only 15 years old, Miss Davies has mastered the violin more completely than many older musicians, and plays with a firmness and expression which give assurance of a brilliant future with that instrument. She has been heard before in this city and especially at the Church of the Advent, where the St. Anselm's holding a successful series of meetings.

SMALL CHANCE FOR A SALOON

Liquor Place Will Not Be Established in Piedmont, As It Looks Now.

A saloon will not be established in Piedmont for some time to come, if the City Council adopts the recommendation of the license committee, made last evening, denying the resolution of Richard Jones for a license to conduct a saloon at 4101 Piedmont avenue.

Protestants appeared before the committee and stated that they objected to having a saloon in their district, as it is a residence district.

Jones claimed that a business section is now being started in Piedmont and he asked that his license be recommended.

Councilman McAdam, representative from Piedmont, moved that the application be denied and the motion was passed.

A full fledged Chinese saloon will soon be in operation at 713 Webster street, if the recommendation of the committee is passed upon favorably by the City Council. (Closely applied for a license and upon his promise to sell to only Chinese patrons, his application was recommended.)

The committee overruled the protest against the application of Trotter and Murchison for a license to conduct a wholesale liquor store at 1551 Broadway. This applicant agreed to sell only at wholesale and to close on Sundays, and the committee recommended the application.

The license committee recommended that the following licenses be granted: Thomas White, 622 Broadway; Joseph H. Sylvia, 427 Eighth street; August and Fritz Koster, 1109 Seventh street; Peter Christensen, 453 Seventh street; The Wineland Company, 1006 Washington street; Gault & Kutz, 411 Twelfth street; Fabst Cafe Company, 474 Eighth street; J. A. Rogers and J. A. Lockhardt, 817 San Pablo avenue; Joe Herbert, 253 B street; P. M. Clark, 4899 Broadway; Frank A. Souza, 751 Seventh street; D. P. Tillman and August Wehlander, 1154 Seventh street; John E. Bouquet and John E. Molitz, 962 Broadway; McVey & McBe, 500 San Pablo avenue; Carl Arlo, 229 Eighth street.

WARREN NAMED TO MEET COMMITTEES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—President Roosevelt has designated Senator Warren to meet with the public lands commission and committees from the American Live Stock Association and the National Wool Growers Association which are to give consideration to the question of national control of the grazing lands of the west. The meeting is to take place February 11.

USED TO IT.—During the progress of the banquet at which nearly all the prominent men of the country are guests a band of assassins explodes a ton of powder beneath the floor.

After the wreck has been cleared away to the astonishment of the rescuers, the prominent men are discovered sitting calmly at their tables continuing their discussion of affairs of state.

With amazement the rescuers tell what has happened and express surprise that the prominent men have not fled to place of safety.

"Why," says the prominent man in honor, "we thought somebody was taking a flashlight picture."—Washington

NEW BILL FOR ANNEXATION

Measures Enabling Consolidation by Oakland Said to Be Defective.

SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—It will be advisable for the promoters of the project on foot in Oakland of annexing Fruitvale to look into the law under which the election in March to determine that matter has been called. If they do not, they may find, after they have held the election and secured enough votes to carry the proposition, that the proceedings are irregular because of a defect in the statute upon which they have relied.

REACHING OUT.
The people of Los Angeles are engaged in the same kind of business that is attracting some attention in Oakland at this time, namely, annexation, and desires as speedily as possible to annex the town of San Pedro, which is about fifteen miles from the heart of the business district of Los Angeles. The limits of both cities adjoin in one place at least and that is where a pan-handle, about half a mile in width, which has been annexed to Los Angeles, extends between both municipalities.

REACHING FOR SAN PEDRO.
A short time ago, the city of Los Angeles called a special election for the purpose of annexing the city of San Pedro and set the time for voting on the proposition as March 15th of this year. This election was called under the law of 1893, and this is the same law which the proposed election for the annexation of Fruitvale has been called in Oakland.

LAW DEFECTIVE.
It now appears that that law is defective, at least, the representatives of Los Angeles say that such is the case and have accordingly introduced a special bill in the legislature for the purpose of remedying the defects of the old measure and thus making the annexation legal as it is possible to make it. The new measure also aims to legalize the petition which has already been filed asking for the election under the old law. A summary of this new bill will be found in another part of this edition of THE TRIBUNE.

The appearance of this new bill was a surprise to many of the legislators and even to delegates from the southern metropolis. It was brought to the Senate yesterday afternoon and introduced by Senator McCartney and sent immediately to the printer and, in the evening, there was a hastily called meeting of the Senate committee on Municipal Corporations and in that body the measure received a consideration which was not pleasing to the promoters. A Los Angeles named Hans and City Attorney Hewitt of that city.

There were five of the seven members of the committee present and none of them favored the measure. One of the members is Senator Savage, who is a resident of San Pedro, the town which Los Angeles desires first to consolidate with. Senator Savage said in discussing the bill that San Pedro did not want to be annexed. She wanted to be left alone. She was a seaport town and was growing in a very satisfactory manner and eventually would become a metropolis. He said that he had run at the last election on the question of anti-annexation and had been elected by a majority of 2500, the largest majority that had ever been given to any candidate in the district. He asked Hans what was the necessity of passing a bill for the annexation of San Pedro when an election for that purpose had already been called. He replied that the citizens had found that the present law was defective and that an election under it would be null and void.

Savage then asked why a call for an election had been issued under a defective law. Hans replied that mistakes would sometimes occur. Savage then stated that if the proposed law should not be passed, and there were reasons so far as he was concerned why it should not pass, the people would be put to the expense of holding an election under a worthless law and would have only disappointment for their expenditure of time and money. He declared that Los Angeles was going at things blindly and that a certain few jumped before they looked and expected the rest of the people to follow them blindly.

Hans replied that the people of San Pedro wanted to be annexed to Los Angeles and Savage replied to that statement that he had received a telegram from residents of that city of which the following is one: "Your strong stand against annexation heartily approved by a majority of the voters and taxpayers. San Pedro's largest property owners, leading business men and a majority of its citizens, opposed to the grab of Los Angeles consolidated commissions contemplated by bill filed. Charter election is no criterion. Several hundred who opposed charter also opposed consolidation under present plan."

Senator Savage says that there is no chance of the bill. In question being reported favorably by the committee which has the measure in hand.

PANHANDLE IN STORM'S GRIP

PORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 2.—All of North Texas, West Texas and the Panhandle is in the grip of a severe blizzard tonight, the indications being that it will prove the coldest spell of the season. The situation is rather serious in Fort Worth, as there is said to be not more than four days' supply of coal in the city, and it is almost impossible to get the railroads to deliver shipments.

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Imported suitings of fine weaves, texture and finish; cream and light tan grounds with colored stripes; 44 inches wide—\$1.75 yard.

Silk warp Lansdowne for waists or full suits; in fine and medium checks of black, many of tan; 42 inches wide—\$1.50 yard.

A swell line of medium-weight suitings, genuine novelties; plaid effects in shades of light gray, tan, cream and reseda with overskirt plaid of silk in dainty coloring; 44 inches wide—\$1.25 yard.

New batistes in small plaid effects; gray, tan, deit, turquoise and reseda; 44 inches wide—\$1.00 yard.

SILK MESSALINE, beautiful satin finish in shades of light blue, yellow, cream, tan, gray, lavender, reseda, cardinal, navy, hunters, brown and black; matchless for afternoon and evening gowns—\$1.00 yard.

SILK RADIENSE—a very dressy silk for spring costumes; lustrous, with soft chiffon finish; full range of colors—\$1.00 yard.

SILK POPLINS—all-silk poplin with a very fine rib, nothing prettier for waist or whole costumes; cream, light blue, pink, champagne, gray, reseda, brown, black; 23 inches wide—\$1.00 yard.

PONGEE SILKS—a very large assortment in both domestic and foreign grades for dresses and coatings; the price—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 yard.

FOULARD SILK—in navy and black ground with different sizes of white dots, also white with black dots; these are wash silks, 23 inches wide—\$1.00 yard.

SILK CREPE DE CHINE—in several different qualities; all pure silk; in colors of white, cream, light blue, pink, turquoise, nile, reseda, champagne, Alice, yellow, lavender; 23 inches wide—50c yard. A finer grade at 85c.

Some of Spring's Newest Ribbons

Few things are of greater interest to the ordinary woman than new, beautiful Ribbons.

The leaders are new Dresdens, plaids and Roman stripes, and the wide, heavy quality of Taffeta Ribbon now so popular for Hair Bows.

A few of spring's early Ribbons are:

6-inch Dresden ribbon, all-silk, new color combinations—per yard 35c.

7-inch heavy quality of taffeta ribbon, all-silk for hair bows and ribbon girdles—per yard 50c.

6-inch Scotch plaid ribbon for millinery and hair bows, in beautiful combinations—per yard 75c.

4-inch Roman and Bayadere-striped ribbon, very heavy quality, suitable for belting purposes—80c yard.

Bows Tied Free

All styles of hair, neck and millinery bows tied free of charge by an expert bowmaker.

NEW WASH GOODS

Although overworked railroads are furnishing shippers with plenty of disappointments, we are able to make a very attractive display of spring Wash Goods.

They're coming in every day, the most beautiful specimens of wash textile features that the world ever saw.

Printed silk mull in exquisite floral designs and dots of all sizes; also small ring patterns. This material is silk-mixed and resembles chiffon but wears much better—30c yard.

This material is a big improvement on voiles of former seasons, having a sheer lingerie finish.

PRINTED SILK BATISTE—35c.

This is a beautiful sheer lustrous fabric with wonderful blending of colors in Persian and floral designs in pompadour effects.

One of the most attractive wash fabrics of the season is silk embroidered batiste in beautiful range of colors and designs—35c and 40c yard.

A rich line of silk-mixed Eoliennes and Liberty Jacquards in plaids, floral designs, foulard patterns, also in self-embroidered gun-metal effects and all popular shades—50c and 60c yard.

Mercerized voile tissue—25c, 30c, 35c yard.

Lawns and organdies have come in a larger range of patterns this season than ever; dots, rings, stripes, plaids and floral designs—10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c yard.

Wash pongette with small and large coin dots, now in vogue; also plain colors—25c yard.

NOVELTY WHITE GOODS

Here is where the word artist is impotent to tell of the beauty and variety. Daintiness is the feature of the beautiful embroidered Batistes and Swisses, and of the many pretty new check and plaid effects in Swiss and lingerie Batiste.

25c, 35c and to 75c yd

Novelty Lawn Waists

85c, \$1, \$1.25 and to \$12.50

Unexcelled for beauty, variety, quality and styles is this spring's display. Sleeves of any length; plainest to the most elaborate designs; open front and back—and although all the materials used, as well as the labor, have advanced from 10 to 25 per cent, prices do not indicate it.

You are cordially invited to closely inspect the Washington-street window display of

Ladies' Tailored Suits SPRING MODELS

The styles, colors, artistic workmanship and evident quality speak for themselves. Every detail, every shade, suggests newness, which is proper at the opening of a new season.

\$15, \$17.50, \$20 to \$42.50

ARRESTS OF MURDERERS

Gotham Police Capture Accessories in Murder of Dr. Townsend.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—New arrests were made today in connection with the case of John Bell, who is charged with murder of Dr. Charles Wilentz Townsend, the leading physician of Staten Island. The additional prisoners were George Flood, living in Cedar Avenue, Brooklyn, and Samuel Bell, the young step-brother of the prisoner. They were charged with being accessories to the murder to the extent that they took the revolver of Bell from his house, cleaned it and concealed it for a few days.

Both were taken before the Staten

ROGERS WOULD PAY ONLY \$1,500,000

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 2.—Judge Bradford, in the United States Court, today confirmed the compromise agreement for the settlement of the suit of George W. Pepper, receiver of the Bay State Gas Company of Delaware, against Henry H. Rogers of New York, which was reached in the United States Court at Boston on Thursday. Under the compromise suit, which was brought to recover between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000 is abandoned in consideration of \$1,500,000 paid by Mr. Rogers.

Paper ruled at TRIBUNE office. Envelopes at the TRIBUNE office.

CORBETT AND HERMAN SIGN

Will Fight in Reno, March 19, for a Purse of Ten Thousand Dollars.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Young Corbett and Kid Herman have been matched to fight in Reno, Nevada, March 19th. Harry Pollock, manager for Young Corbett, telegraphed this information from Reno tonight. The men are to weigh 115 pounds to be for a purse of \$10,000 split 75 and 25 per cent. Forfeits will be posted in a Reno bank immediately by the fighters and Kohn and Johnson, the promoters of large

ALLEGED ABDUCTOR HERE FOR TRIAL

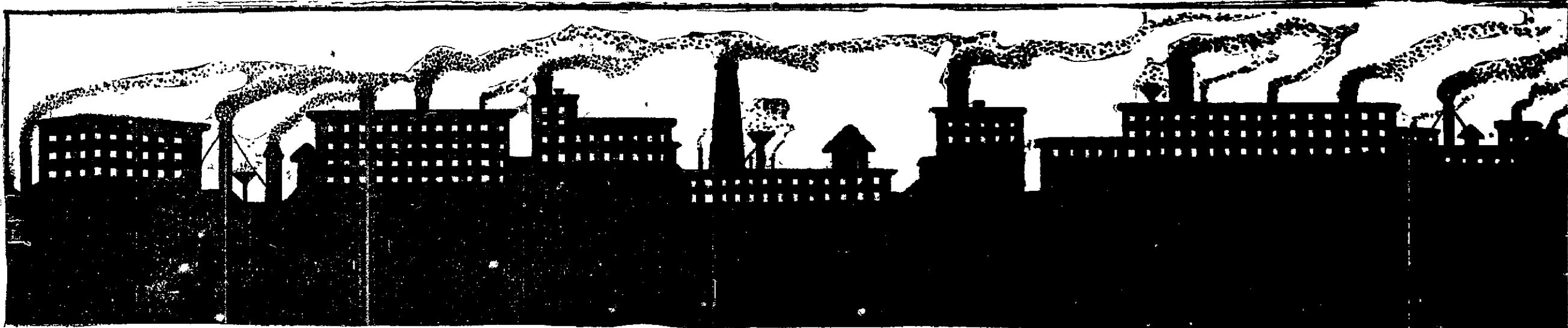
Harry Lawrence, charged with abducting fifteen-year-old Mabel Oppenheimer, arrived in this city last night from Fresno in the custody of Sergeant of Police B. L. Curtis. The young girl with whom Lawrence eloped came from Fresno on an earlier train yesterday and is now at her parents' home. Lawrence refused to make a statement concerning the charge against him. He is but twenty years of age. Lawrence was released last night on \$1000 cash bail, furnished by friends immediately upon his arrival in this city. Out out any middleman's profit. Deal direct with a printing office when you need stationery and printing. THE TRIBUNE can fill any order, small or large.

\$5000 DAMAGES FOR CHILD'S LIFE

But Judge Reduces Judgment to \$3000 on Motion of the Attorneys.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 2.—Five thousand dollars for the life of a child would appear to be excessive, according to Judge Arthur E. Griffin. A jury in his honor's department of the Superior Court awarded A. W. Burton, whose little one met death from a live wire, the property of the Seattle Telephone Company, a judgment for \$5000; but on motion of Piles, Donworth & Howe, attorneys for the corporation, Judge Griffin ordered the verdict reduced to \$3000, giving the plaintiff the alternative of accepting that amount or submitting to a new trial.

Mrs. George Webster Adams, who will entertain for Miss Lu-
de Dunham.



Hook's Gigantic FACTORY PURCHASE

Which is arriving constantly by the carload and filling our warehouse to the doors. Our show floors are the largest in Oakland, but we are still unable to show all of these goods. In order to make room for them we are compelled to offer

CONTINUING THIS WEEK

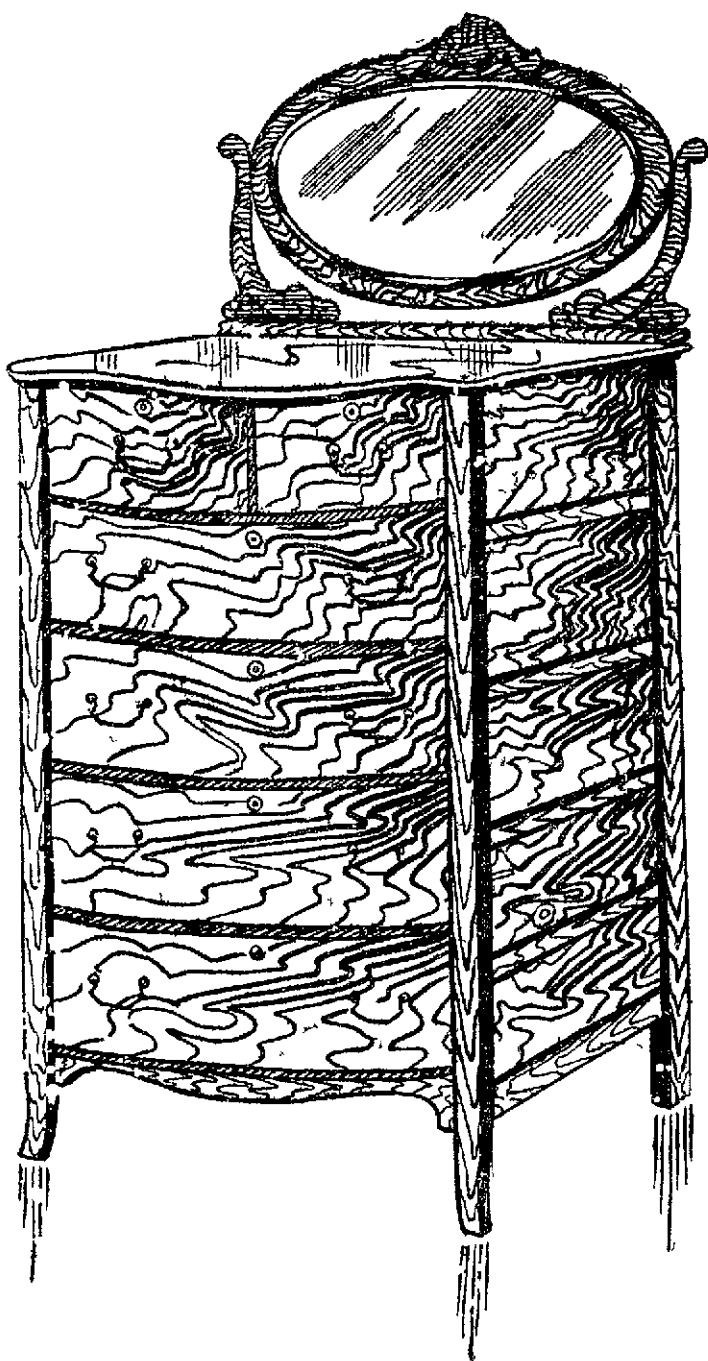
our present store stock of furniture at 20% less than our regular price. Think what 20% means when our regular price is from 10% to 20% less than the regular prices of other stores.

The saving means from 35% to 40%.

A big selection of medium and high grade goods. You are sure to find just what you want, every piece of furniture in the store positively reduced--nothing reserved.

We enumerate below where prices on some articles have simply been cut in half.

50 Chiffoniers-4 Styles



Each one represents a value of great proportions, solid oak, fine golden finish, genuine French-plate mirrors, and is extra well constructed, with and without hatboxes.

IT'S \$25 WORTH FOR \$12.75.

Axminster Carpets

Standard qualities, rich parlor patterns in floral and Oriental, colors to match latest furnishing—

\$1.05 TO \$1.10 PER YARD

sewed laid and lined

Velvet Carpets

In two-tone greens and reds, floral and Oriental designs, suitable for parlor, dining rooms, halls and stairs—

\$1 TO \$1.10 PER YARD

sewed laid and lined.

BEST QUALITY TAPESTRY CARPET—Assortment of all colors and designs—

80c PER YARD

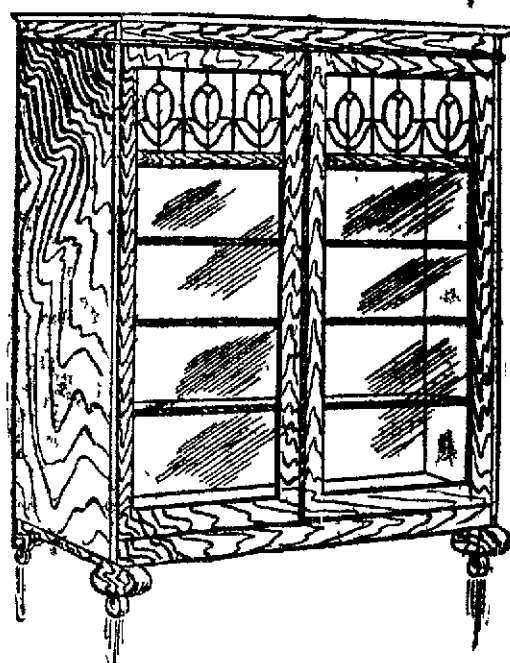
sewed laid and lined

In bedroom furniture we have by far the largest stock for your selection—Dressers, Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables, Princess Dressers and Chevals in all woods. Every article is a specimen of the Twentieth Century cabinet-making, and every price represents a twenty per cent saving.

A very comprehensive assortment of extension-tables in most any finish you should desire; round or square top, with legs or pedestals. The prices range from \$12 to \$75.

REMEMBER, 20 PER CENT, TO MAKE ROOM.

This Elegant Bookcase



Get It Now

Made of the best selected quarter sawed oak of beautiful grain, golden and weathered finish. Would be a handsome addition to any library. Positively worth \$20.00; now \$11.00.

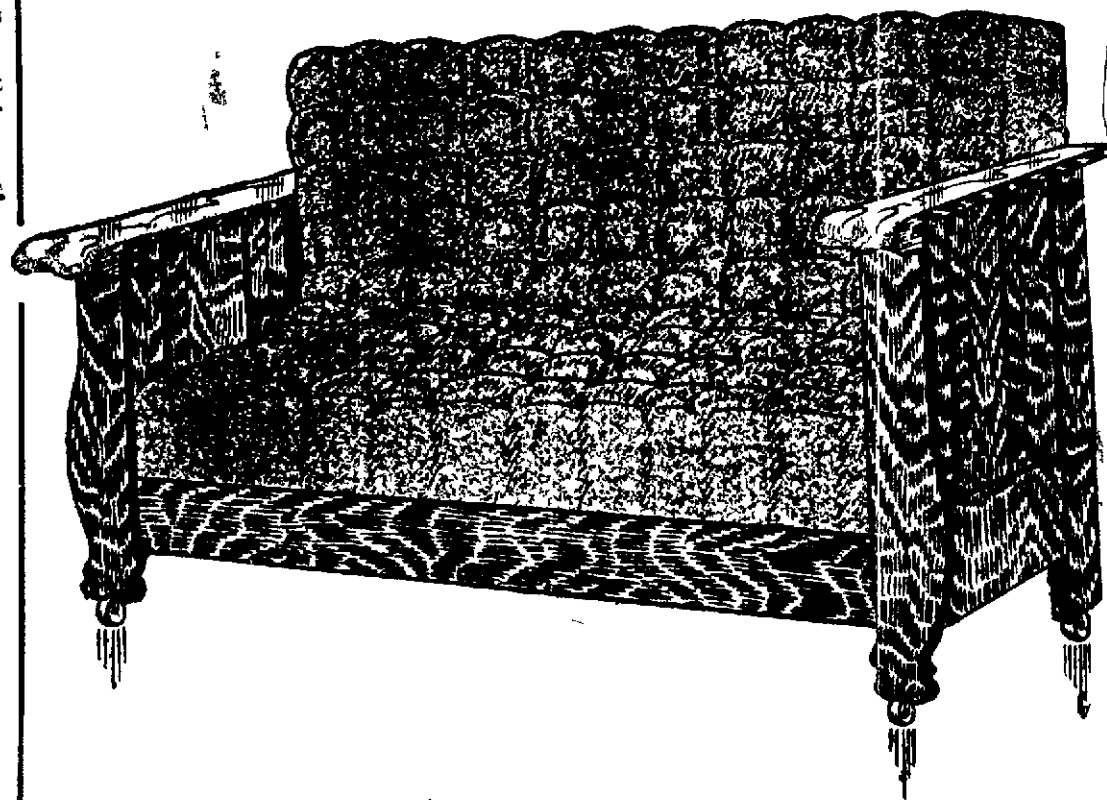
COME HERE AND REALIZE THE REAL MEANING OF CARPET AND RUG SAVING. We exhibit one of the largest and most varied assortment of domestic rugs and floor coverings carried in Oakland. We guarantee a saving from 25 per cent to 50 per cent on following rugs and carpets that we are offering during this sale as a special attraction.

If you don't buy during this sale, you're missing a money-saving opportunity that won't occur in years.

Hook Bros. & Co.

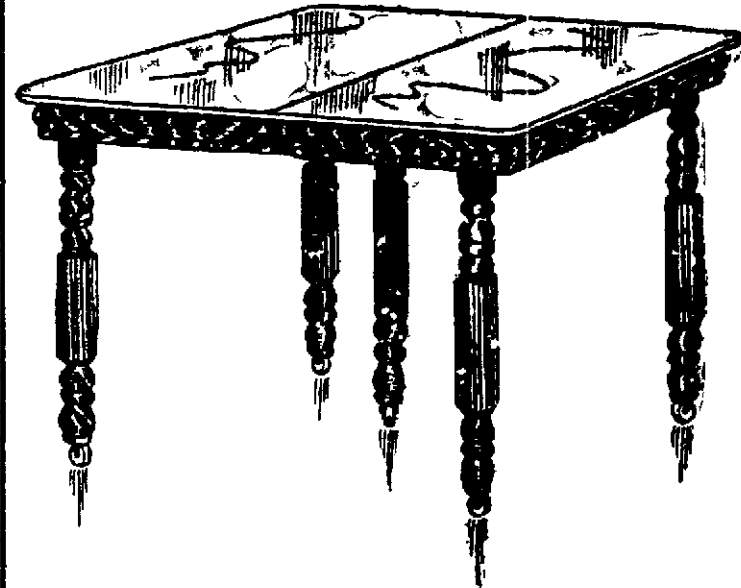
From Twelfth to Eleventh
Between Broadway and Franklin
OAKLAND

Extraordinary Special-- Bed Davenport



Can be automatically changed from a parlor sofa into a roomy bed. The springs are oil-tempered, which insures years of comfortable service. The framework is solid oak, golden finish, fashioned in the most artistic designs; contains a wardrobe in base for storing clothes; upholstered in Verona, over an all-steel construction. Regular price \$55. **SALE PRICE \$30**

Don't Neglect This Chance



Solid oak, 6-foot extension table; fine golden finish, square top and well made. Price cut in half; was \$12—**NOW \$6**.
Chairs to match—\$1.25 and up—20 per cent off.

French Seamless Wilton Rugs

In latest colorings, Oriental and medallion effects—2 sizes—
8x11 6 \$14.00
4x7 \$ 5.50

While they last.

Tapestry Rugs

Persian and Oriental designs.
Size 9x12 seamless \$16.25
Size 9x12 seamed 13.95
Size 9x10.6 10.75

Axminster Rugs

36x72 inches \$3.25
27x60 inches 2.10

Velvet Rugs

27x54 inches \$1.50

STREET RUMOR OF A BIG LAND DEAL IN CITY

The Block South of the Bankers' Syndicate Hotel Site Said to Have Been Bought Up.

A well-known, A.C.G., generally speaking, a very reliable real estate man, who is usually in close touch with everything that is taking place in real estate circles in Oakland, informed a TRIBUNE representative last evening that it was currently reported among the real estate men on the street that the Bankers' Hotel Syndicate had closed the deal during the day at a special meeting held, for the block bounded by Twelfth and Thirteenth and Harrison and Alice streets, lying opposite the site of the new hotel.

Most of the members of the Bankers' Syndicate were inaccessible by telephone or otherwise at their homes when an effort was made to run down the rumor and ascertain the terms, if such a trade had been made.

STATEMENT OF EDSON F. ADAMS.

Edson F. Adams, president of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank, one of the members of the Bankers' Hotel Syndicate, was found at his home, and, in response to an inquiry, said that no meeting of the Bankers' Hotel Syndicate had been held during the day, and, therefore, would not have closed such a deal.

"Moreover," added Mr. Adams, "the block described is mainly owned by the Harrison Street Realty company, a corporation containing many stockholders. It has owned for several months past, and it is a matter of general knowledge, the whole of the Harrison-street frontage, from Twelfth street to Thirteenth, and 225 feet on the Twelfth and Thirteenth frontages eastward, which leaves only the Alice-street frontage, 75 feet deep on Twelfth and Thirteenth in other ownership. The Harrison Street Realty company, which acquired the 75 feet on the Alice street end of the block and thus came into the full possession of the whole area between Alice and Harrison."

WHAT BANKER COLLINS SAID.

D. Edward Collins, president of the California Bank, said: "I am a member of the Bankers' Hotel Syndicate, but I have heard of no meeting of that body during the day. If any such deal has been closed it has been done without my knowledge. I met Mr. Adams and Mr. Garthwaite about noon

and neither mentioned any syndicate meeting to me. I do not know that the syndicate is negotiating in any way, as a syndicate, for the block bounded by Twelfth, Thirteenth, Harrison and Alice streets. If it has been doing so, it has been carried on without my knowledge.

PRIVATE SPECULATION IN LAND.

"I do know that individual members of the syndicate have been buying property in the neighborhood of the hotel site; but it has been done on personal account and not for the Bankers' Hotel Syndicate. One of them may have closed a deal for the block in question opposite the new hotel site south of Thirteenth street, but, if so, the Bankers' syndicate has nothing to do with it."

From these interviews it is apparent that the street rumor is neither affirmed nor denied.

VOLCANOES IN ERUPTION

Earthquake Causes Extinct Craters to Burst Forth on Island of Jamaica.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—The earthquake, which brought devastation to the island of Jamaica on January 15, is supposed to have caused the extinct volcanoes of Central America to burst forth into activity. The Pacific Mail Company's steamer San Juan, which arrived here today brought the news that on leaving the Central American countries the volcanoes were in active eruption, but up to the time of her sailing for this port there were no reports of loss of life or property. The information brought here by the steamer San Juan states that the Ixcid volcano, which is located near Acapulco, San Salvador, started to spout smoke and flame after being quiescent for over a month, and Santa Maria volcano in Guatemala, which did such destruction several years ago and has been quiet since that disturbance, awoke about the time the earthquake at Jamaica took place and poured forth lava with such force that the natives became greatly alarmed. After several days' eruption and as there was no serious results the natives became calm.

NEW GRAB OF LOS ANGELES

Consolidation Measure Which May Be Used in City of Oakland.

Special to THE TRIBUNE.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—The following is a summary of the new law of the passage of which, Los Angeles relies to enable it to annex its various times, the town lying around her. It has just been introduced into the Senate by Senator McCarney, and is one for which the people of Oakland have been waiting some time so as to enable the city to consolidate with several of her suburbs.

Two or more municipal corporations incorporated under general laws or a municipal corporation operating under a freholder's charter and one or more corporations incorporated under general laws, may become incorporated into one municipal corporation pursuant to proceedings in accordance with the proceedings of this act.

ONE-FIFTH PETITION.

The first step in this direction is the filing, with the council or the board of trustees of the cities or towns desiring to consolidate of a petition asking for an election to determine whether or not such incorporation shall take place. That petition must be signed by one-fifth of the qualified voters of such municipalities. The council or the board of trustees after having set a date for the election shall notify the other city or cities which it is proposed to annex of the fact. This notification shall also set forth the name by which the proposed new incorporation is to be known. Notice of this election is to be given a newspaper published in each of the towns, notice of the election must be posted in three public places in the municipality. The election shall be held within thirty days after the expiration of the publication of the notice. On the ballots shall be printed the words "For Consolidation" and "Against Consolidation," and after one of these designations the voter shall mark a cross to indicate his preference. The officers in each voting precinct shall be two judges and one inspector. The returns shall be certified to the clerk of the municipality which shall call the election and shall be canvassed by the joint legislative bodies which have voted on the question of consolidation, the votes of each place being canvassed separately.

The clerk of the joint canvassing boards shall make an abstract of the number of electors voting at the election, and the number of votes cast for and against the proposition in each of the municipalities. One of these abstracts shall be filed with the secretary of state and within three days after the canvass, with the clerk of each of the municipalities which voted on the proposition.

MAJORITY VOTE REQUIRED.

A majority vote of the electors in each of the municipalities voting will suffice to carry the proposition, and the consolidation will be declared to be complete by the filing of the suit of the canvass with the secretary of state. If one of the municipalities be operating under a freholder's charter the consolidation shall be effective when the result of the canvass is filed with the clerk of such municipality in the event that a majority of the electors shall have voted for the proposition.

All ordinances passed in the freholder town shall remain in force until repealed. All civil or criminal proceedings against the cities consolidated shall be conducted against such cities as if no consolidation had taken place. All officers in election shall hold the same places until their successors are elected or appointed or qualified. Officers in the freholder cities shall immediately surrender their offices and turn over to the new corporation, papers, archives, to the custody of the proper officers for that purpose. The same requirement must be complied with by the officers of a municipality which has consolidated with a city operating under a freholder's charter.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

After the new corporation has been formed the municipalities within thirty days after which has the last federal census shall call an election for the election of officers, and this call shall be issued within six months after the abstract of the vote on consolidation has been filed with the secretary of state. The vote shall be canvassed by the legislative body calling the election. All of the provisions of sections five and six of the act for the organization of municipal corporations passed in 1883, shall apply to the new corporation and its officers.

PAYING DEBT.

No property in either of the consolidated municipalities shall be taxed to pay a portion of any indebtedness of any of the other municipalities contracted prior to or existing at the time of such consolidation. The legislative body of the consolidation shall provide for the payment of the indebtedness of each of the municipal corporations consolidated and shall levy the necessary taxes therefor. The expense of the consolidation shall be borne by the consolidated corporation in the event that the consolidation is complete. When the incorporation is not complete, each municipal corporation taking part in the election shall pay the expenses of calling and holding such election within its own boundaries.

A petition for the consolidation of cities filed under the act of 1883 and three months before the passage of this act will have the same effect as if such petition were filed under the provisions of this act.

WAR DEPARTMENT WILL HOLD TITLE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The House Committee on Public Lands today bill authorizing an exchange of land where private ownership is held in military reservations. The War Department is to take title to such land and the settler is to receive an equal amount of land outside of the reservation. The bill will affect 20,000 acres.

ST. PAUL HAS WORST STORM OF WINTER

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 2.—Reports from all parts of the northwest say that the wind and snowstorm of last night was the most severe of the winter.

TO OPEN NANNING FOR FOREIGN TRADE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The State Department is advised by the American minister at Peking that the city of Nanning, in the province of Kwang Si, was to have been opened for foreign trade by the Chinese in January, 1907.

500,000 POPULATION IN 1910.

ABRAHAMSONS

S. E. COR. THIRTEENTH AND WASHINGTON.

LAST WEEK OF OUR CLEARANCE SALE

Tomorrow we enter upon the last week of this successful Clearance Sale. These last days of Clearance Sale mean saving of money—money can be saved at the last days of this great sale if you take advantage of these special prices.

Last Week of Clearance Sale on CLOAKS AND SUITS

Last chance to buy a \$40.00 Suit for 21.95
Last chance to buy a \$25.00 Suit for 14.95
Last chance to buy a \$75.00 Suit for 45.00
Last chance to buy a \$50.00 Suit for 33.00
Last chance to buy a \$20.00 Suit for 8.95

Remember we carry the best line of Suits to be had on either side of the bay and have to dispose of all our surplus stock before the new arrivals.

The last week sale we will allow 1/3 off regular price on FURS before being placed away.

MONDAY SPECIALS at ABRAHAMSON'S Domestic Dep't

40 inch India Linon, 2 to 9 yard lengths; 20 and 25c value. Monday—yd. 10c
60 inch Bleached Table Linen, 50c value. Monday—yard 42c
22x22 All Linen Damask Napkins, \$1.50 value. Monday—dozen 1.10
18x36 Unbleached Bath Towels, 15c value. Monday—each 10c
2 yardx2 1-2 yard Turkey Red Table Cloth, \$1.25 value. Monday—each 78c
18x36 Huck Towel, 15c value. Monday—dozen 1.35

\$2 Gloves 1.25 Monday Only

GREAT SPECIAL. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF IT
Ladies' 12-button length undressed Kid Gloves; real value of these gloves \$2.00 pair; navy blues in all sizes; white in sizes 5 1/2, 5 3/4, 6 and 6 1/4. On display in corner square case.

Monday Only 1.25 pair

NEW DRAPERY CLOTH at 10c yd.

One thousand yards Challie Francaise, 30 inches wide, twenty-two patterns to select from yd
On sale in Drapery Department.

GRAND EXPOSITION AND EXHIBITION OF HIGH ART EMBROIDERIES

Tomorrow, February 4, 1907, we cordially invite the ladies of Alameda county and bay cities to attend the opening and exhibit of fine Embroideries in every variety. These goods are the correct creations for Spring '07 and embody the cream of the best productions of St. Gall, Switzerland.

Novelties in Batiste, Linens, Chiffon Mulls, Indian and Persian Swisses, Nainsooks and Cambric materials in Motif, Band Flouncings, (full and demi) Allover, Beadings. See Washington Street Windows.

Baby Sets in Nainsook Swiss and Cambric with flouncing and allover to match the different widths of insertions and edging from—yd. 8 1/2c to 1.25
Convent work effects in pretty scroll and floral designs on strong, fine cambric edging from—yard 10c to 75c
Full Flouncing for entire costumes from—yard 1.00 to 5.00
Lace and Embroidery Edged full flouncing for infants' long clothes from—yard 85c to 2.50
Heading, Velling, Beadings in cambric Nainsook and Swiss materials from—yard 5c to 50c

Corset Cover Embroideries in the newest effects with and without beading and with separate fancy beading to match. Price from—yard 25c to 1.50
Medallions of all shapes, oval, heart pattern, star, square, oblong, and in point effects. Prices from—yard 25c to 3.50
Allover Embroideries in blind, open work and eyelet effects worked in small and large designs, suitable for waists and yoking. Prices from—yard 75c to 7.50
Strong Cambric Edging in dainty patterns, from—yard 5c to 25c
Pretty Embroidered Robes in Dotted Swiss, Batiste and Mull materials. Complete ready to make. From—sa 6.50 to 35.00

In conjunction with the above display we will offer as an inducement for you to attend this inaugural showing—1000 yards of fine Batiste, Swiss and Nainsook, 22 inch allover Embroideries, worked richly in dainty floral, handsome openwork, raised French blind, English eyelet Lattice worked patterns. Just the thing for allover waists, yoking, entire gowns, etc., etc.
\$1.25 and \$1.50 Allover Embroideries. Special—yard 98c
\$2.00 and \$2.25 Allover Embroideries. Special—yard \$1.12
\$2.50 and \$3.00 Allover Embroideries. Special—yard \$1.48
\$3.50 and \$4.00 Allover Embroideries. Special—yard \$1.98

NEW Dress Goods

First display of spring novelty Dress Goods; made by the best French and German manufacturers, including the latest weaves and newest coloring; desirable for entire dresses, skirt waist suits or separate skirts, forty-four to fifty inches wide. 1.25

Another Waist Special MONDAY

All ladies desirous of obtaining an unusually FANCY WAIST at a ridiculously low price, should call early Monday. The waists above mentioned are made of fine NET, trimmed with six rows of clumsy insertion crossed to form squares in the center of which are dainty medallions; sleeves are trimmed with four rows insertion and lace cuffs and collars. On display in our window Monday 6.95

WAISTS

Alpaca, Batiste and French Flannel Town and Country Shirt Waists made of extra good quality materials in light blue, red, tan and white. Values to \$3.50. (Last chance) Monday 1.50

I am resolved

"TO INVEST EVERY DOLLAR THAT I CAN GET MY HANDS ON TO IN OAKLAND REAL ESTATE. I TELL YOU IT IS THE BEST THING THAT I CAN DO WITH MY MONEY. I HAVE LIVED IN THE EASTERN STATES AND THE MIDDLE STATES; I HAVE BEEN UP AND DOWN THE COAST, AND I TELL YOU, BEFORE I WAS SIX HOURS IN OAKLAND, I FELT POSITIVE THAT THIS WAS THE RIGHT PLACE TO INVEST. I WENT AROUND TO SEVERAL OF THE LEADING OAKLAND REAL ESTATE OFFICES, AND FINALLY DROPPED INTO THE OFFICE OF CROWN & LEWIS, INC., at 1056 BROADWAY. I HAD HEARD FROM SOME OF MY FRIENDS THAT THEY WERE ABOUT THE BEST PEOPLE IN TOWN TO DO BUSINESS WITH, AND, AFTER A PERSONAL INTERVIEW WITH THEM, I WAS PERFECTLY SATISFIED TO LEAVE IT TO THEM TO LOOK ME UP SOMETHING IN A REAL GOOD BUY. TOMORROW I AM GOING OUT WITH THEM TO LOOK AT A FINE CORNER PROPERTY ON TELEGRAPH AVENUE, WHICH THEY SAY IS A SNAP AT \$31,000.00. THE LOT IS 83 BY 100, IMPROVED WITH TWO LARGE AND HANDSOME BUILDINGS, ALMOST NEW, STRICTLY MODERN; BEAUTIFUL FINISH, WHICH WOULD COST \$18,000.00 TO DUPLICATE TODAY. THEY ARE WELL RENTED. THEY SAY THAT THE GROUND ALONE WILL BRING \$400.00 PER FRONT FOOT IN THE NEAR FUTURE, AS CHOICE CORNERS ON THIS AVENUE ARE IN GREAT DEMAND, AND THIS IS ONE OF THE VERY BEST.



"IF I CAN MANAGE IT, I WILL PUT MY MONEY DOWN ON THIS AT ONCE, BEFORE PRICES GO UP HIGHER, FOR I AM TOLD THAT PRICES ARE JUMPING EVERY HOUR." YOURS,

Careful Investor

"P. S.—BY THE WAY, THEIR ADDRESS IS

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INCORPORATED

1056 BROADWAY

OAKLAND, CAL.

Don Morris says: \$8.88 the Price

of men's complete suits (coat, vest and pants) that are fully worth up to \$17.50. We have taken all the suits of which we have one or two of a kind and reduced them to close out the lines. Many are all wool—others pure worsteds in single and double-breasted styles. There are about 60 suits aggregating all sizes. If you look in our windows you'll buy—if you buy you'll save half the price and get a thoroughly dependable suit.

The Best Clothes Shop

1062 WASHINGTON ST.

Bacon Block

11th and 12th

Tribune Contest=Vote for Your Friends

ONE YEAR LEASE ONLY FOR JAPS

Brown Men Destroying Best
Farms in State of California
By Their Methods.

A favorable report has been made on bills which have been introduced by Assemblyman Draw of Fresno, which prohibits the leasing of realty to aliens who have not filed their intention to become citizens of this country. This, of course, refers to all aliens, but in a special manner to Japanese, Chinese and other Asiatics. It will prevent them for all time from acquiring property or even securing a lease for more than one year at one place.

COMPANION BILLS.

The measures in question are numbered 404 and 527 respectively. The former introduces a new section in the penal code, to be known as section 1002, and the other is to amend section 571 of the same code. Mr. Draw says that if the bills pass they will have the effect of saving a great deal of the productive and the richest land of the State for the use of white men. In many of the fruit sections of the State, Draw says, there are thousands of acres of the finest land imaginable under the cultivation of Japanese, and it is being ruined almost irretrievably. They care only to get as much out of the land and to get it as quickly as possible. They do not take care of the soil. They let it run down and pay no attention to those who may come after them. As a consequence, when their leases expire the ground has been destroyed and hard work must be done for the purposes of reclaiming it.

In Oakland and San Francisco the bills would not effect the Japanese or Chinese so grievously, because those places the Japs and the Chinese have leases, as a rule, extending for three years, with the privilege of renewal for five years.

There is some question as to whether these bills will be pressed in view of the request which has come from Washington to leave Japanese legislation aside for a time, but there is a strong feeling here that the measures ought to become laws, more especially because there is such a law on some of the statute books in some of the Eastern states.

UNEARTHS OLD "SEAT LAW"

Conductors Allowed to Make
Pay Fare or Await Car
With Place to Sit

SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—The bill which is attracting most attention of the measures introduced by Assemblyman Johnson of this city is that which makes it legal for a passenger to refuse to pay his fare or even to surrender his ticket to a conductor of a railroad train in the event that a seat and other accommodations are not supplied him. At the same time it is made illegal for the conductor to put the objecting passenger off the train. An informal discussion of this bill today led to the discovery that there is a bill covering a part of this business on the statute books, and that it has been there since the year 1872. It is by no means as drastic, however, as is the measure introduced by the Assemblyman from this city. Under that old measure the conductor is permitted to compel the capricious passenger to leave the car and wait until, if he so desires, for a car to come along in which can find such accommodation as he desires.

There is no penalty inserted in the measure, however, and very little attention has been attracted to this species of early legislation for many years.

RINK ABLE TO OPEN AT ONCE

Piedmont Pavilion Not Injured
as Badly as at First
Reported.

With almost incomparable energy and an undaunted spirit of perseverance, Manager H. L. Dippinger of the Piedmont Skating Rink yesterday afternoon got a force of carpenters at work in the damaged rink and by midnight had sufficiently repaired the place to open as usual last evening. The injury to the rink was not nearly as bad as at first reported, only the new section, erected last summer, being affected, and an inspection of the place had scarcely been completed when it was seen that the damaged portion could be boarded off from the main part of the rink, leaving all of the usual skating space, which can be used with entire safety, the old building being left not only unharmed but in no danger of damage.

Other previous reports, apparently maliciously circulated, to the effect that the land which caused the burst in the wall was still sliding and that several trees standing on a "precipice" were liable to fall at any moment, have also been discovered to be incorrect, as there is no such menace existing and absolutely no danger for the future.

The rink is to continue open as usual, the repairs to the injured place to be made while the boarded off portion is being used.

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15th and Jefferson Sts., Oakland.

A perfectly appointed hotel. Permanent and transient guests. Telephone in every room; steam bath and open fires. Splendid facilities for banquets, etc. Estimates promptly given. Rates reasonable. Information on request.

R. M. BRIARE, Proprietor.

WORKING FOR THE HARBOR

Association Has Been Doing
Good Work to Secure Im-
provements.

At a recent meeting of the Oakland Harbor Improvement Association the following telegrams were sent to Senator Perkins and Representative Knowland:

"Oakland, Cal., Jan. 23, 1907.
"Hon. George C. Perkins, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.: The manufacturers, lumbermen and others located on Oakland Harbor thank you for your intelligent exertions in behalf of our Harbor Improvement, and congratulate you on your unprecedented success—Oakland Harbor Improvement Association."

"Oakland, Cal., Jan. 23, 1907.
"Hon. Joseph R. Knowland, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.: The manufacturers, lumbermen and others located on Oakland Harbor thank you for your intelligent exertions in behalf of our Harbor Improvement, and congratulate you on your unprecedented success—Oakland Harbor Improvement Association."

Also the following letter to Col. W. H. Reuer, U. S. Engineer in charge of this District.
"January 30th, 1907.
"Col. W. H. Reuer, U. S. A., No. 401 Fillmore Street, San Francisco, Cal.: Dear Sir—I have the honor and pleasure to inform you that at a recent meeting of the Oakland Harbor Improvement Association (which is composed of some of the principal manufacturers, shippers and property owners on this Harbor), I was instructed to express to you our profound regret for the unwarranted criticisms of your attitude toward the improvement of Oakland Harbor, which have recently appeared in the papers; and to assure you of our high appreciation of the strong endorsement which our representative, Mr. George D. Casey, forms us to plan for the improvement of Oakland Harbor at a recent meeting at Washington with Congressman Burton. I have the honor to remain, dear sir, yours respectfully."

"JAS. L. de FREMERY,
President."

"Oakland Harbor Improvement Association."

Resolutions were also adopted thanking Mr. D. Gray for his services in going to Washington and appearing before the Rivers and Harbors committee.

Resolutions of thanks were also sent to the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and Merchants' Exchange; San Francisco Chamber of Commerce; Merchants' Exchange, and Ship Owners' Association, all of whom have done excellent work before the Rivers and Harbors Committee in Congress in the improvement of Oakland Harbor.

The Oakland Harbor Improvement Association is composed of manufacturers, wholesale lumbermen and others owning property on Oakland Harbor, and vitally interested in its development. Shortly after the recent San Francisco disaster this Association was formed, and at once proceeded to find the best method of having the harbor facilities enlarged to meet the present demands of commerce. The services of Engineer L. J. Le Conte were secured, who, by reason of his many years' experience in government work done in this harbor, was able to furnish reliable data. This, with other information furnished by the United States Engineer's Office of San Francisco, enabled Mr. W. J. Casey to make the plan which was adopted by the various concerned bodies of Oakland and San Francisco, and recommended by the United States Engineers to the Rivers and Harbors Committee, which Committee has recommended the appropriation of \$375,000 for the improvement of Oakland Harbor, and placed this amount in their bill, which is now before Congress.

AIMS A BLOW AT USURERS

Recommendation of Assembly
Bills Limiting Interest to
12 Per Cent Per Year.

SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—A favorable report has been made on the bill of Eschelman of Berkeley, the purpose of which is to prevent the practice of usury in chattel mortgages. The measure provides that it will be illegal for any money lender to exact interest on loans of this character at a higher rate than 12 per cent a year, which is at the rate of 1 per cent a month. It is a notorious fact that some of the money sharks throughout the State charge at the rate of 5 per cent per month or 60 per cent a year. Several of these sharks are located in Oakland, and all are said to be doing a lively business at the expense of the unfortunate people who are compelled to patronize them.

CHRONIC ASTHMA CURED

Miraculous Recoveries From As-
thma and Catarrh Due to
Vienna Treatment.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Evidence of the wonderful cures effected by the Vienna Toxic treatment in asthma, catarrh and bronchitis continue to pour in from all parts of the country. Diseases of the respiratory tract have evidently this time met their master. Obsolete cases are cured in less than sixty days. The dose is minute and acts directly on the membranes and tissues and it has a wonderful tonic effect. The Toxic Laboratory, 1269 Broadway, New York city, who are the sole dispensers, have generously offered to send a test treatment to every sufferer who will write for it.

IT'S A FACT

We are rushed to death with satisfied buyers who are saving from \$10 to \$15 per Carpet and equal amounts on Linoleum, Rugs, Shades, Curtains, etc.

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"BIG LITTLE STORE AROUND THE CORNER."

CULLIGAN'S

MANUFACTURER'S AGENT

\$75.00 of Honest Furniture for \$1.00 a Week

Have You Any Idea What Culligan is GIVING AWAY in This Premium Sale?

LADIES, we invite your attention for a few moments until we tell you what we are giving away ABSOLUTELY FREE. The first premium is a china closet that you could not procure at any retail store for less than \$200, and in addition to this we are giving nine other prizes equally as fine in quality.

These prizes are to be given away on *Friday, March 8, 1907*. The drawing will take place in the evening and if the ladies wish to appoint the judges, just write or step in and tell us and we will see that there is a representative present that our customers appoint in addition to the two business men already selected by us. All you have to do to get a coupon is to buy \$1.00 worth from us and you are entitled to a chance at the prizes.

Now we are going to offer for the week of *February 4th*, a special at ABSOLUTELY FACTORY PRICES. Such a chance was never heard of before.

Remember, six of these specials, one for each day of the week, and also remember that we ONLY SELL THE SPECIAL ADVERTISED ON THAT PARTICULAR DAY. There is no use asking for a special advertised except on the day mentioned, for we are really giving away these goods.

We give these specials to make our premium sale a success. We are giving away \$700 worth of these prizes at actual factory prices, but if you were to try to buy this fine line of premiums retail, they would, without doubt, cost all of \$1,200. Now we invite inspection, and if the premium prizes are not as advertised, you have the privilege of drawing that \$1,000 from the California Bank.

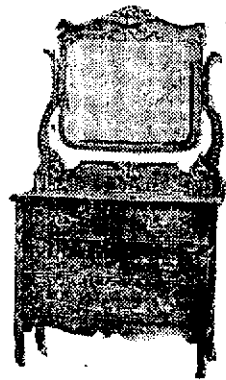
We offer our exceptional bargains just to get you acquainted with us, and we know a friend once made is a good investment.

Say you buy \$20 worth of merchandise from us, \$1 down and \$1 a week, and get a premium ticket with each dollar paid. Isn't it worth trying for?

A SPECIAL FOR EACH DAY IN THE WEEK

MONDAY'S SPECIAL

Golden Oak Dresser, quarter sawed; French plate mirror, 18x24. Premium price for Monday—only \$9.75.

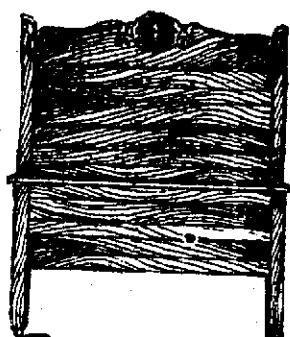


Money back special. If you can buy this Dresser at any retail store for \$20.00, we will refund the money.

Will J. Culligan Furniture Co.,
467 Ninth St., Oakland
Bet. Washington and Broadway
"Just Around the Corner."

TUESDAY'S SPECIAL

An Oak Bed. Positively can not be bought for less than \$25.00. Fancy panel and highly polished. All day Tuesday only for \$9.75.

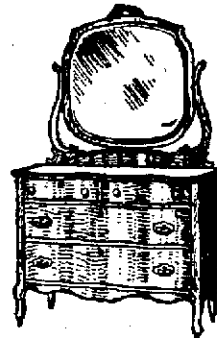


Money back sale. If you can duplicate this Bed for \$25.00 we will refund the money.

Will J. Culligan Furniture Co.,
467 Ninth St., Oakland
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WEDNESDAY'S SPECIAL

Fine line of Mahogany Dressers. We have a consignment of them; six styles to pick from. Sold by others for \$40.00. For Wednesday only we will sell them for \$19.75.



Money back premium sale.

Will J. Culligan Furniture Co.,
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THURSDAY'S SPECIAL

Enough said—just look at this special: Golden oak leaded Buffet; just the thing for a small dining-room.

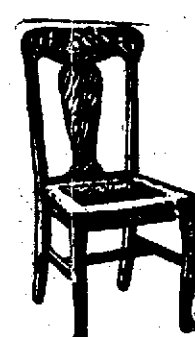


Culligan's premium special, \$22.50. Value guaranteed. Money back sale if you buy it for less than \$37.50.

Will J. Culligan Furniture Co.,
467 Ninth St., Oakland
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FRIDAY'S SPECIAL

All day—just to get you started with our premium sale. A Vienna Chair, sold every place for \$3.50.



Culligan's premium sale, \$1.65. Money back sale.

Will J. Culligan Furniture Co.,
467 Ninth St., Oakland
Bet. Washington and Broadway
"Just Around the Corner."



SATURDAY'S GREAT SALE



When we tell you this is a premium price you will agree with us.
Arabian Net Curtains in ecru and white for \$1.00 a pair, and a premium ticket thrown in—that's all.

Now, ladies, just come in and see what bargains you can get.
Money back if for \$75.00 you can not get with us what you pay \$100.00 elsewhere. Money back if this is not a fact.

WILL J. CULLIGAN FURNITURE CO.

467 NINTH STREET, OAKLAND,

Between Washington and Broadway

"Just Around the Corner"

GOULD LINE RUSHING WORK

Western Pacific Will Increase
Force of Track Builders
in State.

The Western Pacific railroad officials have agents in the east trying to secure a crowd of laborers to work on their new line in the State between Oroville and Sacramento and between Oroville and the Beckwith pass. About 4000 men are already employed on these two sections, but it is desired to increase the force to 7000 men, so as to insure the completion of the entire line late in the summer of 1908.

The Southern Pacific and Western Pacific people have named a board of arbitration of three experts, which is assessing the claims of the former company in Nevada where the Western Pacific passes over the Southern Pacific lands. In this State Chief Engineers Bogie and Hood of the Western and Southern Pacific lines respectively are a board of arbitration to fix Southern Pacific claims when the Western Pacific crosses the tracks. In several places where the Western Pacific is to elevate its tracks over those of the Southern Pacific both companies will pay the cost of the elevated crossing in equal proportions. Where there is to be a surface crossing of the Southern Pacific by the new company the latter is to bear all the expense.

BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS MADE HERE IN ONE YEAR

Property Owners Spent Over \$7,500,000
in 1906 to Accommodate the
Increased Population.

W. R. Fawcett, the secretary of the Board of Public Works, has just completed and classified the building permits issued by the Board of Public Works during the year ending December 31, 1906, which shows a total of \$7,666,375.25 for new structures, repairs and alterations. It may be said, however, that the actual amount is far in excess of the sum named, for the reason, according to the inspector of buildings, that contractors have been unwilling to disclose the actual amounts involved in their respective contracts since April last because, since that time, they have been working on a percentage basis and if they named the time amount their rivals in business would be posted on what they are doing.

Summary by Secretary Fawcett makes the following:

Brick boiler shops	1	\$9,000.00
FRAMED STRUCTURES.		
Loft buildings	1	\$31,460.00
Hotels	12	\$2,000.00
Apartment houses	10	\$15,944.00
Lodging houses	2	\$8,000.00
Hospitals	1	\$2,000.00
Carriages, repair shops	1	\$2,000.00
Lodge buildings	1	\$2,000.00
Railroad depots	1	\$12,000.00
Churches	2	\$4,000.00
Club houses	1	\$4,000.00
Skating rinks	1	\$15,875.00
Dry-cleaning	1	\$5,000.00
Bakeries	1	\$4,000.00
Cafes	1	\$4,000.00
Park entrance	1	\$15,000.00
Garages	1	\$12,750.00
Laundries	2	\$2,750.00
Markets	2	\$11,158.00
Telephone stations	1	\$7,000.00
Printing offices	1	\$7,000.00
Stores	48	\$113,593.00
Stores and offices	10	\$3,500.00
Offices	3	\$4,000.00
Stores and flats	16	\$25,365.00
Stores and apartments	20	\$63,251.00
Plaza	1	\$2,000.00
Dwellings, 3 story	2	\$9,215.00
Dwellings, 2 story	405	\$1,84,821.00
Dwellings, 1 story	120	\$20,000.00
Dwellings, 1 story	1014	\$1,508,635.50
Shacks, sheds, stables, etc. 806		\$14,572.50
Repairs, alterations	1972	\$1,049,781.25
Miscellaneous	5	\$8,700.00
CORRUGATED IRON AND FRAME STRUCTURES.		
Warehouses	92	\$28,342.00
Picnics	26	\$5,815.00
Machine shops	3	\$20,000.00
Planing mills	5	\$6,500.00
Totals	4532	\$7,666,375.25

BUILDING AND LOANING MONEY

Fight Over Vexatious Subject
Commences in Assembly
Next Tuesday Night.

Special to THE TRIBUNE.
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—Next Tuesday night there will be an opening of the great battle for the passage of a bill governing building and loan associations in this State. On that occasion there will be present representatives of that line of business from all parts of California, and the closest scrutiny will be given to the several measures which are now before the Legislature.

At the last session of the Assembly the building and loan business was a source of a great deal of annoyance, and there were hints that sinister means had been employed for the purpose of securing votes for and against the measures which were at the time under consideration.

BILLS BY DREW ANDOTTIS.
There are now two bills on the subject of building and loan associations on the files, or, to be more accurate, there is one bill on the file and another prepared by Otis of Alameda, and the latter would have been introduced in the Assembly yesterday had there been a quorum present in the morning.

The first measure is known as the Drew bill, because it was introduced by Drew of Fresno in behalf of the hold-over committee of the Assembly on the subject, which was appointed at the last meeting of that body. This bill is the result of the deliberations of the committee during the recess. One of the features of this measure is that it divides associations in this line of business into two classes, one of which is known as land and building corporations, and the other is styled building and loan associations.

The Otis measure differs from the Drew bill because it aims to regulate these organizations under one head.

MUST HURRY.
There will be no session of the Legislature before next Monday, and it will be impossible for Mr. Otis to introduce the measure before that time. Obviously, it would be impossible for him to get the bill back from the printer before Tuesday night, so that to get it in the hands of the committee by that night will require "rush" order and considerable outlay all around.

Under this measure the stock of the concern is divided into shares of the par value of \$100 or \$200 per share. Stockholders, in default of dues, may be fined not to exceed 10 per cent of the amount in default. There are three forms of stock—viz: installment stock, paid-up stock and guarantee stock. In no case shall the amount of the loan exceed the matured value of the shares pledged as security for the loan.

NO OFFICER TO BORROW.
It is unlawful for any officer to borrow directly or indirectly any of the funds of the incorporation, and any officer guilty of such loan is to be held personally liable to the corporation for the full amount of the same. The association cannot loan any of its funds upon its own guarantee stock as security. Profits and losses shall be apportioned at least annually. Any person of full age and sound mind may become a member. Associations must make an annual report to the proper State officer as regards their affairs within thirty days after their annual meeting. Any violation of these provisions, or verifying such reports will be considered perjury.

OUTSIDERS DEPOSIT.
No building or loan association organized in another State shall do business in California without first depositing \$50,000 with the Controller of the State as a guarantee for the protection of the people doing business with such a concern. Agents of such companies which have not complied with this requirement will, on conviction, be fined not to exceed \$1000 or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed twelve months.

TONG MURDERERS GAIN BIG VICTORY

The murderers of Lee Bock Tong gained a victory Friday in securing the release of Lou Kay, who is the star witness against the murderer of the Chinese merchant, Wong Kee Tong, petitioned the Superior Court for a writ of habeas corpus for the freedom of Lou Kay who opened the door, admitting the two highbinders who shot Lee Bock Tong. She was taken to Sacramento, but arrested two days after the murder and placed in the City Prison. The highbinders secured her release and now have her safe away from the police. The widow of the dead Chinaman also petitioned the Superior Court for a writ of habeas corpus. In her petition she had the name of the Chinese woman to be Ah Kee, but when the matter came up yesterday morning before Judge Murphy, Chief of Police Wilson said there was no such person in his custody. This developed that the highbinders have secured the star witness for the prosecution.

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The latest effects in Etamine and Silk Suits, Eton Jackets or Princess effects. Elegantly trimmed and stylishly modeled.

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\$22.50		\$22.50
\$25.00		\$25.00
\$27.50		\$27.50
& \$30.00		& \$30.00

Any Overcoat in the House

Regular Prices		Regular Prices
\$20.00	\$15	\$20.00
\$22.50		\$22.50
\$25.00		\$25.00
\$27.50		\$27.50
& \$30.00		& \$30.00

Any Cravenette in the House

Regular Prices		Regular Prices
\$20.00	\$15	\$20.00
\$22.50		\$22.50
\$25.00		\$25.00
\$27.50		\$27.50
& \$30.00		& \$30.00

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OLD FLAGS DIE IN SERVICE

Secretary of War Metcalf Tells
of Fate of Banners of
the Sea.

Special to THE TRIBUNE.
SACRAMENTO, Feb. 2.—The following self-explanatory letter from Secretary of the Navy Metcalf of Oakland has been received by George W. Edwards, a member of the secretary's force of clerks of the Assembly: "Navy Department, Washington, Jan. 26, 1907.—Sir: Replying to your letter of the 17th inst., stating you are informed that flags belonging to vessels of the navy are called in and new ones issued every three years, and asking if the national flags are in proper condition to be used by the schools of San Francisco, the schools having lost their flags by the fire of April last."

"I have to inform you that the chief of the Bureau of Equipment to whom your letter was referred, reports as follows:

"Flags turned in to store by naval vessels that are fit for further use are for re-issue in the service would not be in proper condition to be used by the schools of San Francisco."

"In view of the above, I regret that the department is unable to supply any flags for use by the schools of the city of San Francisco."

"Very respectfully,
V. H. METCALF,
Secretary."

Tea and coffee; so much goodness dwells in a leaf and a bean. Schilling's Best.

A Grand Duke of Austria

Is reported to have deserted his wife because she ate raw vegetables. Evidently the wife was either tired of home cooking or else she wanted something to counteract the raw treatment of her legs lord who doubtless came home from the club every night with raw onions and Welsh rare-bit on his breath. There's a lot of raw sorrow in this old world that could be averted if we had more good cooks in our happy homes. This is not intended as any side light on Mrs. Minsters' qualifications. She can cook like a born chef, but I have to take her the tid-bits from Lehnhardt's all right. Then she excels herself.

LEHNHARDT IS OUT FOR THAT \$50,000 IN 1910 ALL RIGHT.

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Tea Kettle, regular family size, nickel plated on copper; very serviceable; regular price, \$1.25—Cut Price 95c.

Sauce Pans, size 4 quarts, triple coated blue enamel outside and white enamel inside. Regular price 40c.—Cut Price 25c.

One Burner Gas Stove—Cut Price 15c.

Gas Lamps, Clover gas saving, fits any gas fixture; has adjustable bunsen burner, opal globe and double wire cap rattle; gives a beautiful bright light—Cut Price 40c.

Christy Knife, set consists of bread, cake and paring knife; no kitchen complete without this necessity—Cut Price 25c.

Barler's Ideal Odorless Oil Heaters

Buy One Now—They Are Selling Rapidly

No need now to feel disappointed, for we have at last received the long-looker-for carload of the only OIL HEATER made which is ABSOLUTELY SAFE and odorless. We have them for \$3.75, \$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00. MONEY BACK IF NOT SATISFACTORY.

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Great Majestic Ranges

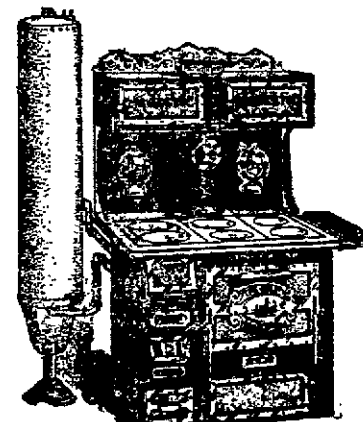
SOLD THE PAST YEAR.

This means that 720 GREAT MAJESTIC RANGES have been sold in Oakland the past twelve months.

The GREAT MAJESTIC RANGE is the best that skilled labor can produce. It has been on the market fifty years and has stood the test of time.

We sell it at a price NO HIGHER than that of the many so-called first-class ranges that are now being sold.

THE GREAT MAJESTIC is made to wear and to give perfect satisfaction—first, last and all the time.

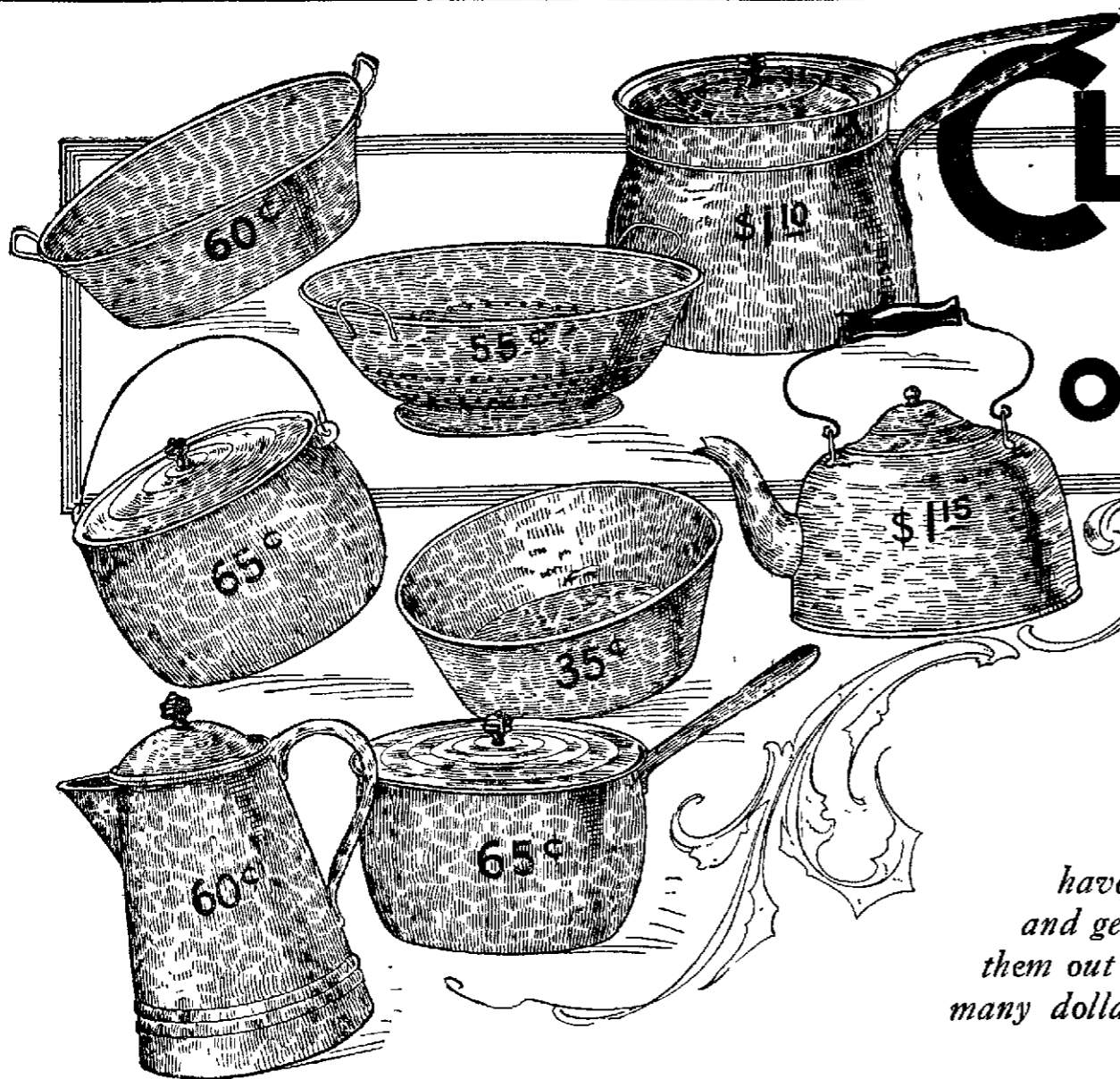


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We carry a complete line of Walsbach Lights and supplies. Gas mantles from 10c up.

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CLOSING OUT

AN ENTIRE LINE OF AGATE WARE

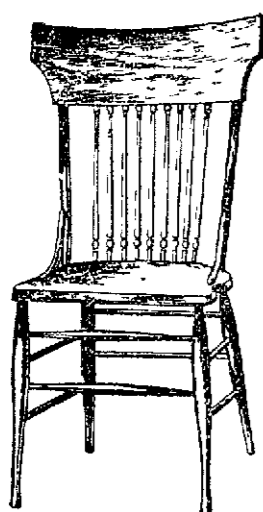
Now, folks, here IS some good news!

We have decided to close out an entire line of Agate Ware. It is the heavy double coated light grey line that wears so well and is so easy to keep clean. We have no room to properly exhibit such ware and have concluded that a quick sale of the entire line is the thing to have.

Now, everybody knows that prices are what count, and we certainly have cut down the prices. In fact, you can't go into the wholesale market today and get these goods (this same excellent high grade quality) for the prices we close them out at retail—Housekeepers can supply their kitchens—Hotels can save many, many dollars.

Enameled BERLIN KETTLES, as per cut.
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 Enameled TEA KETTLES, as per cut.
 Enameled TEA KETTLES, as per cut.

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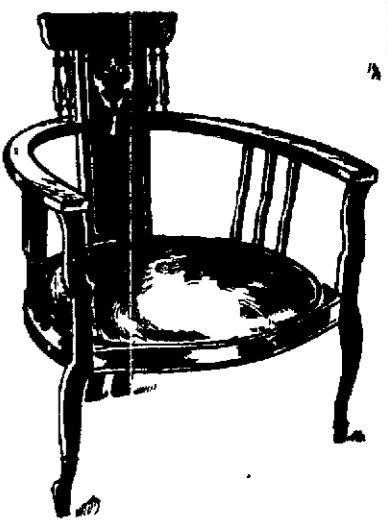
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MEASURE IS SIDETRACKED

Congress Fails to Take Action on the Direct Vote Bill.

DENVER, Feb. 2.—The memorial introduced in the House on Thursday by Representative Vincent of Delta, Colo., petitioning Congress to call a constitutional convention for the purpose of amending the Federal constitution to provide for the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people, was side-tracked today by the Republican party bosses. The memorial passed the Senate unanimously on Wednesday. Under the House rules it was necessary to lay the matter over for one day. The ease with which the resolution passed the Senate caused general surprise, and the Republican party bosses who engineered the election of Senator-

elect Guggenheim immediately sought to prevent favorable action in the House.

Accordingly yesterday a motion was made to lay it on the table which was lost by a vote of 3 to 25. A hasty adjournment saved the day for those who are guarding the "honor" of "Simon the Senator."

When consideration of the matter was resumed today Representative Kelly, who nominated Guggenheim in the House introduced a substitute and moved that it together with the Vincent bill and the Senate memorial be referred to the committee on Federal affairs where the fate of the measure now hangs.

The chief objection of the Republican bosses to the memorial lies in the fact that they do not wish it to go out from the Legislature that the election of Simon Guggenheim to the United States Senate has precipitated the demand for the election of Senators by popular vote and they feel that it is intended as a slap at the Senator-elect.

WILL HURRY VOTE ON ALCOHOL LAW

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The President today informed Representatives Hill and Marshall that he would use his influence to secure an early vote upon the bill providing for the changes in the denatured alcohol law which are being demanded by the farmers.

SECRETARY TO WED MRS. LOGAN

Engagement of John G. Carlisle and Mrs. Jane Logan Announced.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—John G. Carlisle, former Secretary of the Treasury, was told today in his home in Gramercy Park that dispatches from Washington said he was engaged to marry Mrs. Jane Logan of Richmond, Va., a sister of Harry St. George Tucker. Mr. Carlisle refused to either confirm or deny the report of his engagement. Mrs. Logan lives in this city, but spends much of her time in Richmond where she is usually a guest of the family of Stuart McGuire. The friends of Mrs. Logan in Richmond know nothing of such an arrangement. Miss Carlisle, the granddaughter of the Secretary and Mrs. W. K. Carlisle, who are now in Wash-

ington are said to know nothing of such an engagement. Mrs. Logan is expected to arrive in Virginia from New York next week. Mr. Carlisle is 72 years old and has been a widower many years. He has practiced law in this city for the last nine years. He is a member of the Manhattan and the Lawyers clubs.

GERMAN OPPOSITION IS A DEATH BLOW

PARIS, Feb. 2.—In governmental circles here the outspoken opposition of Germany to limitation of armaments at The Hague conference is considered to be a death blow to any practical step in that direction. Foreign Minister Pichon and Premier Clemenceau with whom Professor de Martens, the Russian envoy, has been conferring upon the program of the conference, take this view.

France's position in the matter is neutral. Nevertheless if any prospect of tangible results in the direction of the limitation of armaments develops, France would heartily support a discussion of the matter.

SKILLMAN'S HAVE SON.
 A son was born to the wife of Edward Skillman of Eureka, Nevada, on January 11, in Alameda. The mother and child are doing well.

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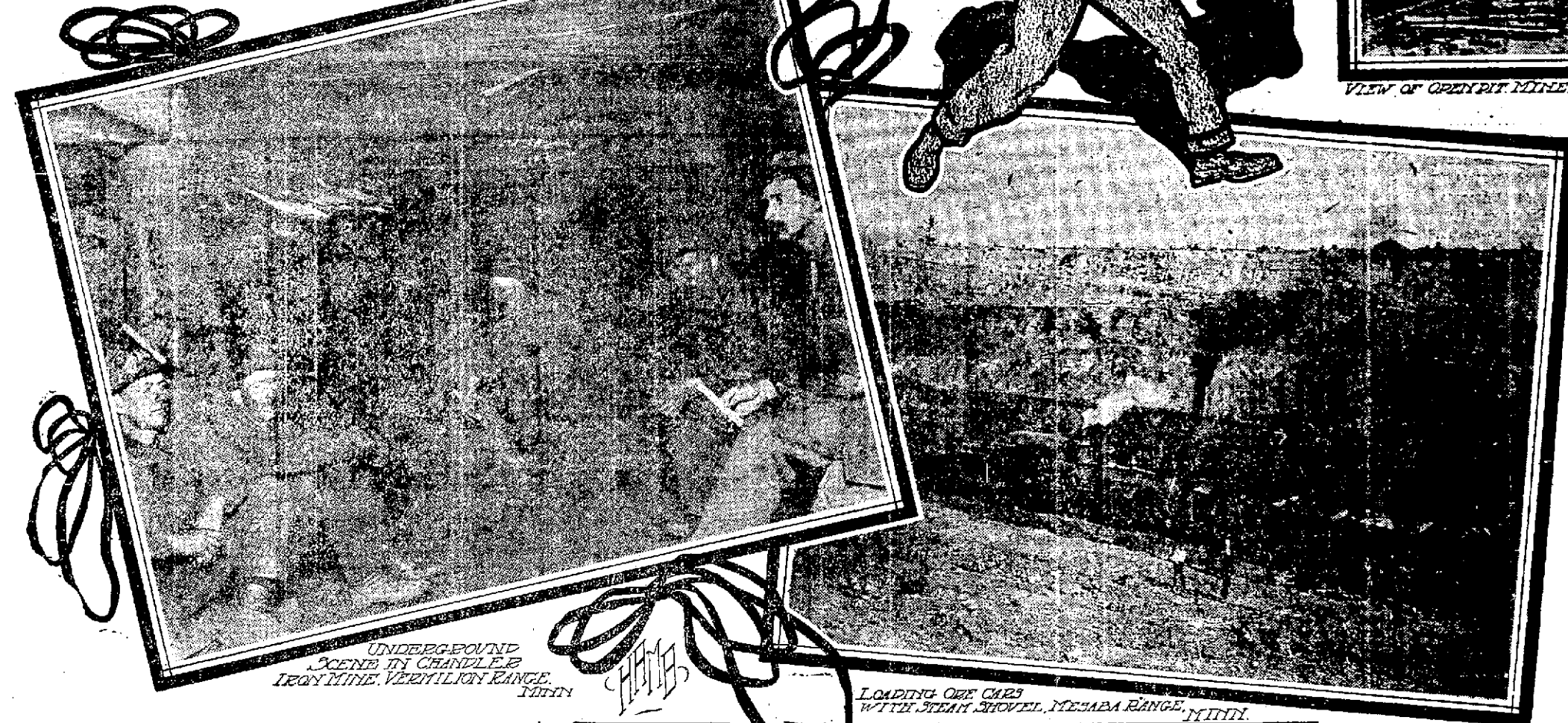
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SPECIAL FEATURE PAGE

THE IMMENSE IRON MINES OF THE LAKE

HOW THE ORE IS MINED AND SHIPPED



VIEW OF OPEN PIT MINE, MESABA IRON RANGE, MINN.

IRON is the backbone of American manufacturing industry, and so it is the backbone of the immense traffic of the Great Lakes, and of the busy life of that part of Minnesota, Michigan and Wisconsin bordering on Lake Superior, the greatest of the Great Lakes.

For instance, last season the traffic through the canals at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., the outlet of Lake Superior, amounted to 44,270,000 tons, including shipments both ways. Of this immense total, vastly exceeding the business of the great Suez Canal, 31,332,637 tons were iron ore, bound down the lakes from the Lake Superior iron districts. The finished products in the smelters and factories of the East.

In the production and transportation of iron ore in the Lake Superior district millions of capital are invested and thousands of men are employed. And yet a large part of the several processes attending the mining and shipment of iron ore is done by purely mechanical means, so that from mine to smelter human hands scarcely ever touch the unprospecting piles of red, brown and yellow material that goes into the manufacture of iron and steel.

The initial stages of the process by which our structural iron, our railroad steel, our plows and knives and nails are made are tinged with the romance of human achievement. Fascinating, indeed, are the exhibits of human ingenuity that have been devised to enable man to better and more quickly reap the rich fruits of nature's bounteousness.

Iron ore is scooped out of the earth by giant steam shovels, dumped by them into cars, shot by mechanical means from cars into pockets in the ore docks, and finally dumped by gravity into the holds of vessels to be carried a thousand miles to the Eastern ports, where great clam-shell buckets dip into the interiors of the ships and bite out great masses of the freight, which they deposit with almost human intelligence upon the cars waiting to take the rich freight to the smelters.

The iron deposits of the Lake Superior region are scattered about the shores of this greatest body of fresh water, chief member of the family of large waterways known as the Great Lakes, which, like a cluster of giant fingers, grasp a large proportion of the traffic of the United States and of its British cousin on the north.

Minnesota, Michigan and Wisconsin, in the order named, furnish most of the iron ore mined in this country. Minnesota alone furnishes nearly two-thirds of the American product, and her yield of iron annually exceeds that of any single nation on the globe other than Spain and Great Britain. On the north shore of Lake Superior, in Canada, there has lately appeared the beginning of the iron mining industry, and some considerable deposits have been developed there. But the five "ranges" of the three American states furnish not only the best iron ore found in the world, but most of the world's supply.

The ultimate value of iron ore depends upon these three characteristics: First, quantity; second, accessibility; and third, quality. As to quality, the Lake Superior iron is the best there is, highest in percentage of iron and lowest in percentage of deteriorating minerals. As to accessibility, the deposits border the lake, handy to ports where vessels of 10,000 tons and more do nothing else but handle it. As to quantity, the amount is untold, and last year's output of nearly 35,000,000 tons barely left a noticeable dent in the supply.

The entire shipments of iron ore from the Lake Superior regions last year were 31,332,637 tons, the greatest output in their history. A small part of this went, in response to hurry-up calls from the smelters during the season when navigation on the lakes was closed, by rail all the way. A small part, too, was consumed by local smelters and factories at Duluth. The local consumption is ex-

pected to be larger shortly when the development of water power, now under way, furnishes a substitute for the lack of coal for power creation.

These shipments came from five ranges, as follows: Mesaba range, in Minnesota, 20,153,099 tons; Vermilion range, in Minnesota, 1,677,180 tons; Gogebic range, in Michigan, 9,705,207 tons; Menominee range, in Wisconsin, 4,405,431 tons; Marquette range, in Michigan, 4,210,522 tons; miscellaneous (from Wisconsin), 11,301 tons.

Of these five ranges the youngest and greatest and most interesting is the Mesaba, which made its first shipment in 1892, when it sent out 4,245 tons. From that point its advance was rapid and continuous, until last year its output, as stated above, was nearly two-thirds of the total from the Lake Superior districts. One mine alone on this range, the Mountain Iron Mine, shipped in 1903 almost 2,500,000 tons.

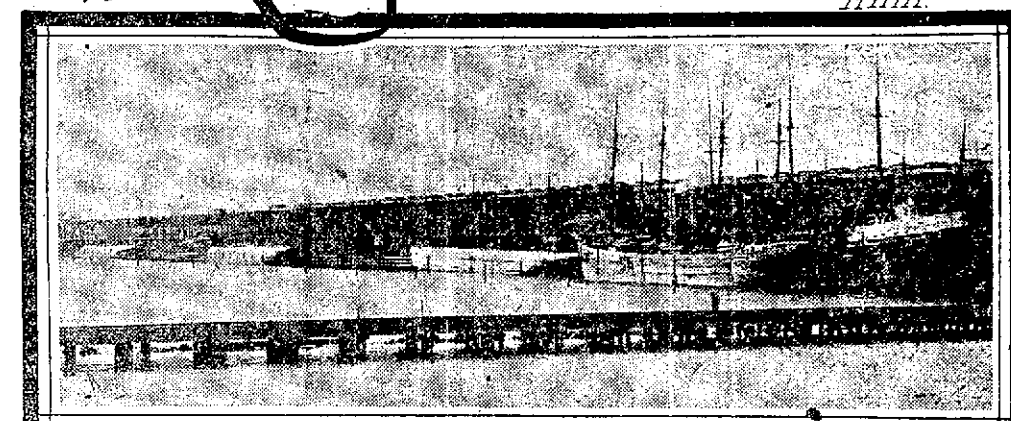
Probably two-thirds of the known deposits of iron ore in the Lake Superior regions is owned or controlled by the United States Steel Corporation, otherwise known as the "steel trust," but the remaining one-third is owned by individuals or by independent manufacturers of steel products. Several large manufacturing concerns outside of the regular steel trade, including one manufacturer of farm machinery, using considerable quantities of iron and steel, own mines in this section and ship their own ore to their own smelters to be made into pig iron for use in their own factories. The steel trust, however, does better than this. It ships its own ore over its own railroads to its own docks, and in its own boats to its own smelters.

Labor in the mines and upon the railroads, docks and vessels engaged in the iron trade is well paid, as a rule, and there is, perhaps, no industrial section of this country so free from labor troubles as the iron mining regions of Minnesota, Michigan and Wisconsin. The only strikes that have occurred in recent years have been among the laborers employed by individuals or corporations to whom the mine operators have let contracts for "stripping," a process to be described later.

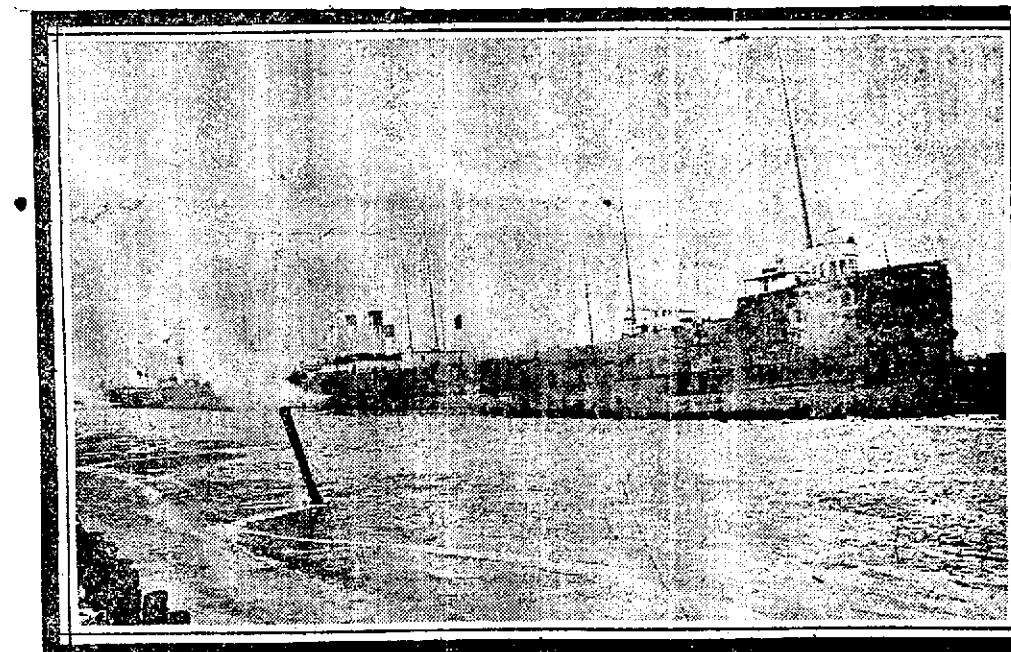
Ease and cheapness of mining are prominent features of many parts of this region, while modern American methods of handling and hauling the product bring it cheaply and quickly to the smelters of the East. Every year new discoveries broaden the known fields of iron, and the end is not yet. Every year great quantities of it are hauled to market, and yet the supply seems inexhaustible. Yet it is not, of course, and experts figure that at the present rate of increase of production the Lake Superior fields of high-grade ore will not last more than 50 years.

There are almost as many varieties of mining methods in the lake region as there are varieties of deposits, and these are many. Sometimes the ore is found deeply hidden to the earth, jealously guarded by great, difficult beds of jasper and granite. Sometimes the deposits are open upon the surface, and all that is needed in order to work them is to "strip" off the thin layer of earth above them and scoop out the ore as gravel is scooped out of a gravel bed. Sometimes the ore bodies lie in thin, wide lenses; sometimes these lenses are horizontal, and again they may be perpendicular. Sometimes the ore is in round compact masses with no foreign matter intervening; sometimes it lies in small areas separated by earth, talcum, jasper and granite.

There are three principal methods of mining: however, including open-pit steam shovel mining, the milling process and blasting out the hard ores in the open-pit mines of the Mesaba range, in Minnesota; they simply scoop it out with steam shovels in the open daylight, put it into cars with the same steam shovels and run it away to the docks. Often both steam shovel and milling process are used in the same mine, part of which will require underground methods, and part of



LOADING OF ORE WITH STEAM SHOVEL, MESABA RANGE, MINN.



ORE CARRIERS AT SUPERIOR, WIS., STEAMING UP FOR THE SEASON'S WORK.

which will be capable of operations upon the open-pit plan. Most of the open-pit mining is done on the Mesaba range, where last year 50 per cent. of the output was mined by steam shovels out of open pits of large size.

Some of the ores are hard, while others, like those in the open-pit mines, are soft. The hard ores are generally of a higher grade and easier to market, while the softer ores are of lower grade, but infinitely easier to handle.

In mining upon any of these plans the deposits are first surveyed and outlined by drilling. Churn drills are used in the soft earth and diamond drills are used to go through the rock. The ore body is definitely located and approximately measured before the mining operations begin. With the hard ores the mining proceeds in the conventional fashion, by sinking a shaft and by drifting at various levels, the ore being loosened by blasting and taken out by hoists, just as people naturally expect a mine to be operated.

But in the open-pit mines the methods are as little like the popular conception of mining as possible. The drilling, completed and the extent and depth of the ore body located, if the overburden, or layer of earth over the ore body, is shallow enough a "stripping" contract is let. The term is jargonously descriptive. The pro-

cess consists of literally stripping off the earth from the ore body, and the work is done by steam shovels, great, intelligent machines, not unlike dredges, which bite out great chunks of earth weighing tons, and will move in a season hundreds of thousands of cubic yards. The ore body laid bare, mining begins. Steam shovels are used here also. The usual steam shovel weighs 65 to 75 tons, and its dipper will handle from two to four yards of material at a mouthful. It will lift daily from the bed of the ore to the cars from 4,000 to 7,000 tons of iron ore. A yard of iron ore weighs about two tons, and a yard of overburden about one ton. In stripping work a fair average day's task will be from 1,500 to 2,000 yards for every 20 hours of continuous work. With a shovel in ordinary practice will be about three attendant locomotives and as many trains of dump cars. On the Mesaba range alone, during the present season, about 150 of these shovels are in constant use.

When the ore bodies are too deep for the open-pit method of mining they are "milled." Underneath the ore body a drift is run to its center. Then a mill-hole is "stopped" or carved up to the top of the ore body. A track is laid in the lower drift, and cars are run under the millhole. At the top miners slice the ore off and let it drop through the millhole

until the cars are filled. Both the open-pit and milling processes so cheapen the cost of mining that by their use ores that are of too low a grade to be profitably mined in the old-fashioned way can be sent to market and make money for their owners.

The difference in the three principal methods of mining cannot be better illustrated than by comparing their cost. Steam-shovel mining, after the stripping is done, costs 6 cents a ton; milling, after the stripping is paid for, costs 35 cents a ton; while getting out the hard ores by blasting costs about \$1.25 per ton.

Some of the open-pit mines are most interesting exhibits. Imagine a great pit a mile or more in diameter, 100 to 200 feet deep, and ever bit of what has been taken out, except, perhaps, 20 to 30 feet of overburden, is iron ore. The bed of it is iron ore, too, and the ore extends, perhaps, 100 feet further down. Tracks are run into it in half a dozen directions, and the ore cars are being filled by the steam shovels.

Dumped into the ore cars at the mine, whether from steam shovels, from steam hoists or by hand, they are hurried quickly to the docks at one of half a dozen ports. The ore cars are rather like coal cars, little red dumpy affairs of wood or steel. The old-fashioned eight-wheeled

wooden cars, which succeeded four-wheeled, holding a dozen tons apiece, will hold from 20 to 30 tons of ore, while the modern steel cars, which are rapidly replacing the wooden ones, carry 40 to 50 tons and sometimes 60 tons.

The trains drawn by the largest, strongest and most modern engines, consist of 30 to 50 cars, and carry from 1,200 to 2,000 tons of ore apiece. In Minnesota alone three railroads are devoted to this traffic, their general freight and passenger business being but a minor feature on their balance sheets. Some idea of their activity may be gained from the fact that Minnesota's 8 per cent. tax on the gross earnings of railroads brought from these three roads last year something like \$750,000 toward the support of the state.

The docks from which the vessels are loaded for the long haul down the lakes are themselves most ingenious and interesting contrivances. At a distance they look like long, tall railroad trestles, which, indeed, they are, for the ore cars are run out upon their decks. They extend far out into the harbors, some of them 2,400 feet, and they stand in some cases nearly 100 feet clear from the water. One or two tracks extend the full length of their decks, and the cars are drawn directly out upon them. The jerking of a lever in each car dumps its freight into the pockets in the dock, where it awaits the coming of the vessel that is to take it away. These pockets are deep bins, some of them holding 250 tons of ore.

The vessels are drawn alongside the docks by tugs and long chutes or spouts are lowered from the side of the dock into the open hatches. Then little gates at the bottom of the pockets are opened and streams of iron ore run down until the hatches are full. Then the gates are closed, the spouts are drawn up again, the hatches are covered and the vessel is ready for its long trip down the lakes, which it will make, when running without a tow, in little more than three days.

Thus the ore is dropped from the car into the pocket, and from the pocket into the vessel, entirely by gravity, and but few men are needed. Originally much of this work was done by hand, and in addition men were employed to "trim" the cargoes, distributing them over the hold so as to give the vessel balance. Nowadays they no longer stop to trim the cargo, but take it as it falls, and no trouble is experienced. A vessel carrying 8,000 tons will be loaded in the manner described above in two or three hours.

There are 25 of these ore docks on Lake Superior, as follows: Six at Escanaba, Mich.; three at Ashland, Wis.; five at Two Harbors, Minn.; four at Duluth, Minn.; three at Superior, Wis.; three at Marquette, Mich.; and one little one at Michipicoten, Ontario. They range from 15 pockets at Michipicoten to 254 in each of the four Duluth docks, the greatest in the world. The latest dock constructed, the Duluth, Mesaba and Northern's No. 4 dock at Duluth, is taller than any of the rest, standing nearly 100 feet up from the water of St. Louis Bay, and is built particularly for the accommodation of the larger type of lake vessels, those carrying 8,000 tons and over. Her storage capacity is 94,000 tons, and the 25 docks on Lake Superior will hold at one time 1,900,000 tons of ore.

These docks range in height from 100 feet down to about 40 feet from the water to the deck or top. Their extreme width is 98 feet 6 inches, and the spouts which conduct the ore into the holds of the vessels are from 21 to 32 feet in length, depending upon the height of the dock.

All of these docks are lighted by electricity and at night, from a distance, their sparkling lights look like rows

of brilliant, and make a beautiful night scene.

Nearly 800 vessels in all are engaged almost exclusively in the ore-carrying trade. One concern alone has 125 large vessels which do nothing but carry iron ore, except upon occasions when for their own use or because of a temporary scarcity of ore cargoes they bring coal up the lakes. Usually, however, they go down the lakes with iron ore and hurry back empty for another load. Last season one of these vessels, the E. H. Gary, carried a cargo of 13,448 net tons of ore on a draft of 21 feet, the greatest cargo ever carried on the Great Lakes. From this achievement back to the pioneer days of iron mining and shipping on Lake Superior, when the first cargo of 12 barrels of ore went down the lakes, is a far cry indeed.

A couple of decades ago the average cargo on the Great Lakes was less than 1,200 tons. A decade ago it was nearly 8,000 tons, and this season it is about twice that figure. This will give an idea of the growth that has attended the lake traffic. The season of navigation opens from some time in April or May, when the channels connecting the lakes are unlocked by the northern advance of the summer sun to early December, when the winter storms make navigation so hazardous that insurance ceases and owners must send their vessels out at their own risk or not at all. A little later the canals and rivers and harbors are ice-locked, and the season is over.

The growth of the lake traffic has been made possible by the wisdom of the government in appropriating funds sufficient to dredge out a waterway, from Duluth to Lake Erie, more than 20 feet deep. This has involved the expenditure of immense sums, but in cheapened freight it has all been returned to the people many fold.

From Lake Superior the loaded steamers, perhaps, conducting a tow barge, proceed over well-dredged and chartered courses direct to the ore-receiving ports on Lake Erie, such as Cleveland, Conneaut, Lorain and Ashtabula. O. Through the canal at Sault Ste. Marie, where locking is necessary for the only time on the voyage, into St. Marys River, and then out upon the broad expanse of Lake Huron, now the cargo of yellow dirt that is wanted in Pittsburgh to be made into implements of war. Next comes beautiful Detroit River, Lake St. Clair and the St. Clair Falls, and then Lake Erie, the last stage in the journey. Occasional cargoes are diverted at the Sault through the Straits of Mackinac into Lake Michigan and thence to Chicago. Though in the summer seasons the lake voyage is commonly mild and uneventful, in the spring and fall violent storms often occur, and navigation is attended by perils as great as those of the early deep. Last November a terrific snow storm, accompanied by heavy rains, arose on Lake Superior, and before it was ended a dozen wrecks strewn the shore, and one vessel had foundered in midlake, carrying 19 souls into eternity. One large ore-carrying vessel missed the ship canal at Duluth and was driven on the beach within 500 feet of the houses on shore. There it broke in two, and nine men who were caught art, where the waves, seas broke, perished miserably, while thousands of anxious watchers on shore, almost within reach, looked on in impotent horror.

At the Lake Erie receiving port again the marvelous mechanism that man has invented to save himself work comes into play. The vessel is placed under a tremendous unloading machine, perfected to such an extent that the entire cargo is taken out without human aid. Two such machines will take 6,000 tons of ore from a vessel in five or six hours, loading it upon cars waiting to take it away to the smelters. Other unloading machines, not so up to date, simply send large buckets into the hold of the vessel, which men must load by hand.

Lake navigation, like water navigation everywhere, is infinitely cheaper than rail traffic. The entire charge against iron ore from the time it leaves the most inaccessible mines on the most distant Lake Superior range until it is in cars or on stock pile at some Lake Erie port is less than \$1.50 per gross ton, and this includes three landings, more than 100 miles of rail haul and 1,000 miles of water transportation. The charges for the water haul are not much more than half the cost of carrying it 100 miles by rail, from mine to dock.

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PROGRESS IN NEW LANGUAGE

Prizes Are Awarded in Paris for Student Competition in Esperanto.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by the Hearst News Service over longest leased wire in the world.)

PARIS, Feb. 2.—Esperanto is making progress in Paris. A few days ago a large number of the students in this language met at the Sorbonne and the prizes for the past year's competition were awarded.

The proceedings were opened by a speech in Esperanto by M. Bourlet, and the same gentleman afterward gave an address in French on the teachings of Esperanto in Paris. Then the prizes were awarded, and two gentlemen were made happy for the evening by the complimentary remarks which were made on their progress. The proceedings were closed with the singing of "La Espero," or the Esperanto anthem.

This is the age of changes, especially in France, and the French, under the Secretary of Fine Arts, announces that there are to be important changes in the residences of well-known Paris institutions. The Luxembourg art gallery, instead of being allowed to remain where it is, in the beautiful Luxembourg gardens, framed in a lovely mass of flowers and trees, is to be removed to the former seminary of St. Sulpice.

The Ministry of the Colonies is to be removed to the building in the Rue Oudinot, and the Conservatoire will occupy the barracks which La Nouvelle France will shortly vacate. The School of Decorative Arts is not to be removed.

ORIENTAL RUGS BREED DISEASE

Explanation in Paris for Prevalence of Epidemic Which is Serious.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by the Hearst News Service over longest leased wire in the world.)

BY PAUL VILLIERS.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—The question of the prevalence of so many Oriental diseases of more or less serious nature, in spite of the vigilance of the health officers of every port, has probably been solved by Dr. Fernand Urdel, who insists that he has ample proofs to show that the disease germs are imported hidden in rugs and hangings from the Levant.

In an official report to the French Medical Academy, he states that he has traced two cases which proved fatal directly to contact with Japanese tapestries. He says he has made strict inquiries and has found that this is only one case in many hundred, but that the owners of the carpets had not known where they had come in contact with contagion.

The academy asked Dr. Remlinger, director of the Pasteur Institute at Constantinople, what his opinion on the matter was, and to send a report. Dr. Remlinger, in reply, said that no one could doubt that Oriental carpets carried contagion and disease in them if they could see the condition under which the trade is carried on in the East. "The carpets are used as bedcovers and as carpets in the hovels or tents of the traders, and it is therefore unavoidable that they should be contaminated."

The best way to safeguard Europeans against danger of infection was to have the carpets, hangings, etc., washed. As most of the dyes of the Orient are fast, this could not injure the colors.

As no country of late uses as many Oriental rugs as the United States, Dr. Urdel's discovery should be of vital interest to American health authorities.

HEADS OF MEN ARE PRESERVED

Following Expectations St. Petersburg Police Make a New Move.

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BERLIN, Feb. 2.—The heads of executed Terrorists are now preserved by the St. Petersburg police. This is done in the case of unknown men who are executed or commit suicide, to facilitate identification by police agents in other cities or abroad, who may be able to supply the names and antecedents of the dead.

The heads are cut off after death and kept in a medical museum. The former method was to retain only photographs and Bertillon measurements of the unknown and to bury the bodies in quicklime. This system, however, was a failure.

INVENTS A NEW SHORTHAND SYSTEM

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by the Hearst News Service over longest leased wire in the world.)

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Sir Edward Clarke, the eminent lawyer and member of Parliament, has invented a new system of shorthand, which he is about to have published in a cheap handbook.

"My system," said Sir Edward, "is a simple adaptation of Taylor's system, which is so elaborate that one can only learn it from a teacher. But mine is much simpler. In fact, it is so simple that it requires no teacher. Anybody can learn it by himself. One great distinction it has is that there are no thick and thin strokes, so that it can be written with a pen, a pencil or a stylus."

Carrie Nation certainly smashed a hole in the barrooms of Kansas, but Ballard's Horsehound Syrup has smashed all records as a cure for coughs, Bronchitis, influenza and all pulmonary diseases. T. C. H. Horton, Kansas, writes: "I have never found a medicine cure a cough so quickly as Ballard's Horsehound Syrup. I have used it for years." Sold by Winkler's drug store, 1801 Washington street.

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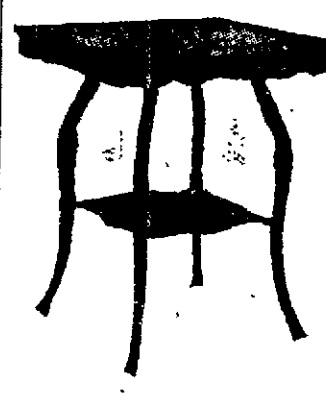
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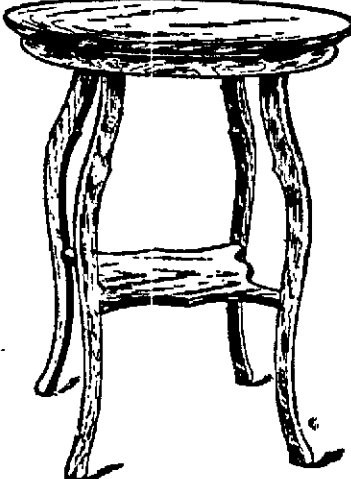
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POLICY IS A DANGEROUS ONE

Lord Curzon Should Not Truckle to the Indians, Is Assertion.

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LONDON, Feb. 2.—Private letters received in London from Indian officials state that the rather dangerous policy advocated by Lord Curzon of truckling to the natives in every way, is gradually giving place to the old order of things. The British soldier is beginning to feel his feet again under Lord Minto, who is now said to be completely under the influence of the masterful Lord Kitchener.

It is an open secret that the attitude of the natives toward "Mr. Thomas Atkins" was becoming unbearable under Lord Curzon's rule. Natives in some of the smaller cities are acquiring the habit of jostling "Tommy" in the streets, and when the latter resented the insult and hit out, the native would have "Tommy" up in the courts for wanton assault.

A marked change is now discernable, and the visit of the Amerer of Afghanistan, which was wonderfully stage-managed by Lord Kitchener, and which show the Indian army to the best advantage, has already had a splendid effect on the native population.

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WOMEN LOSE BIG SUMS AT THE GAMING TABLE

Berlin Society Is Agitated at Discovery That Money Is Stolen at Charitable Bazaars to Pay Debts.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by the Hearst News Service over longest leased wire in the world.)

BERLIN, Feb. 2.—Berlin society is greatly agitated at the discovery that in order to pay debts contracted at the gambling tables or at bridge a number of women, some of whom belong to the highest aristocracy, have been stealing money from charitable bazaars at which they assisted.

It has already been the subject of much gossip that many women of high social standing were as passionate gamblers as their brothers or cousins in the crack guard regiments, and some of them have been losing sums which no one understood how they came into possession of.

The expose of the charity swindle explains many things. Large amounts of money have been diverted by these "hyenas of charity," as one paper calls them, into their own pockets at charity affairs. A beautiful young matron, a favorite at court, who always took a leading part in bazaars, systematically pocketed every gold coin she received in the name of charity, giving to the treasurer only the silver coins.

The cat was let out of the bag the other day at a charity fete, when a fashionable lady publicly horsewhipped another whom she had caught stealing money.

This was followed by another woman being searched in the presence of fifty society people, many of whom were her personal friends, who insisted that she must submit to the search to vindicate her character. They were greatly shocked to find that every pocket, every fold of her dress, yielded gold coins, which were also found in her shoes and stockings, and she was hissed and hooted out of the building. Ministers of all denominations are denouncing the charity swindle, which they claim, are morally degrading the women who arrange them. They declare that when it comes to this that any man with money to spend at these fetes can buy kisses from young women ranging in price from \$2.50 for a kiss on the bare arm to \$7.50 for one on the bosom, or \$10 for one on the lips, the time has come to protest and devise other means for alleviating the wants of the poor.

TO LIBERATE A PRINCESS PAYS

So Says Dresden Man Who Has Gratitude of Daughter of King.

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BERLIN, Feb. 2.—"It does pay to liberate royal princesses from prison," says Herr Thormann, of Dresden, who has the undying gratitude of Princess Louise of Coburg, daughter of King Leopold, but who is short several thousand dollars which he advanced to pay the expenses of the fair lady's flight from a Saxon sanatorium two years ago.

After trying for many months to get back some of the money, Herr Thormann began suit against the Princess, who is now living in a Paris hotel with her lover, Colonel Matiaschich. The suit is still pending, but the other day the brave Dresdener received a note from the Princess saying: "Never will I leave my rescuer in lurch; you must have patience until my affairs are arranged."

What gives Thormann hopes that his ship will come in some time is the fact that the Princess has paid another of her rescuers, Herr Waliser, his fee.

Wise Counsel From the South. "I want to give some valuable advice to those who suffer with lame back and kidney trouble," says J. R. Blankenship, of Beck, Tenn. "I have proved to an absolute certainty that Electric Bitters will positively cure this distressing condition. The first bottle gave me great relief and after taking a few more bottles, I was completely cured; so completely that it becomes a pleasure to recommend this great remedy." Sold under guarantee at Osgood Bros' drug stores, corner Seventh and Broadway, and Twelfth and Washington streets. Price 50c.

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San Francisco Getting Dose of Shirt-sleeves Diplomacy

THE KNAVE

A Few Anecdotes of "Red Spider" Stillwell, Detective

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—The administration at Washington is moving heaven and earth to induce the school board to give in on the separate-school question. Pressure is being exerted from all over the country to make the San Francisco people get into line.

The political pie counter is temptingly displayed, with significant hints that there is no room at it for men who do not get in and drill with the President on this proposition. The banks holding government deposits have been notified to lend their influence. If they don't choose to do municipal politics by financial pressure—well, there are other banks, and the power and discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury are large.

The Washington correspondents are directed by White House inspiration to frighten the people of the Pacific Coast with the prospect of war. Japan is represented as being ready to kick the stuffing out of Uncle Sam and take possession of the Philippines, Hawaii and California if Japanese children are not permitted to attend any school they please. It is given out that the President cannot restrain the Japanese from ravaging the Pacific Coast much longer if their demands are not complied with. The White House grapevine says it is up to the San Francisco Board of Education to say whether we shall have war with Japan or not.

All these precious outgivings assume that this country will be licked out of its boots if we cross the furious Jap. The dispatches all carry the suggestion that the San Francisco school board is forcing the United States into a war with Japan, and that Roosevelt and his cabinet are cowering in the White House cellar, terror-stricken at the prospect of an immediate invasion. Prominent citizens are bombarded by inspired dispatches begging them to save the country from the horrors of war by hanging the members of the school board on a sour apple tree and marching the Japanese kids in triumph to the best seats in the best schools in the city.

The California delegation are rounded up, and alternately cajoled and threatened. They are assured that a new treaty excluding Japanese laborers will be promptly negotiated if the San Francisco authorities can only be persuaded to give in. Why the Japs would be so ready to become mild and yielding after seeing the American nation cringe at their feet is not explained. And then we are told that the new treaty must contain a provision guaranteeing the Japanese to attend all public schools, otherwise the Mikado will let loose the dogs of war.

Yet there is not much stir. The excitement is not feverish. A feeling of indignation has been aroused by the methods adopted to intimidate the State authorities and to create the impression that the San Francisco school board is plunging the nation into a bloody war.

The panicky tone of the Washington dispatches provokes contempt. The belief is that the fear of war with Japan is simulated to save the President's face. The people out here are being shown a raw-head-and-bloody-bones that he may have his way and show the world that his command is law.

But San Franciscans did not shiver at the threat to send the American army to make them yield to Japanese demands, and they are not a whit more frightened at the representation that the Japs are coming with ships and guns to force their way into the public schools. If there is funk in Washington, there is none in San Francisco. If the public were not inclined to take a humorous and indulgent view of the situation, it would be incensed.

There is no denying that our government has got itself into a very undignified position by squirming around in an effort to indicate a hasty man in his own eyes. Our boasted shirt-sleeve diplomacy has crawled into its hole and is mumbling incantations and doing dark-corner stunts in an absurd fashion. It has assumed an air of timidity in dealing with the Japanese that is in striking contrast, not altogether pleasing, to the tone of the belligerent message.

Are the American people afraid of Japan, or does the President shrink from admitting to the Japanese that there are limitations on his power? That seems to be the case, and because it is the case, our government appears, in the eyes of the world, to be cowering under Japanese coercion.

The mawkish sentiment that is being wasted on Mr. and Mrs. Harry K. Thaw is enough to make a wooden Indian weep. Young Thaw, who, without his millions, would be nothing more than a mutt, is held up to the world as something to be pitied and wept over—a hero who has performed an act that should compel the attention and the admiration of the world. He is listed as one who has rescued the golden fleece from the dragon. No knight of old in the tournaments for hands and hearts is half so great as he, if we are to believe the hysterical stories published in the newspapers from the reporters who are attending the trial.

We are told that Thaw accomplished a great feat in the

interest of morality and humanity when he coldbloodedly shot Stanford White to death in the Madison Square Roof Garden. It is inferred that the mental torture suffered by Thaw and his wife because of the attentions of the great architect to the beautiful Evelyn Nesbit before her marriage to Thaw, caused the son of the Pittsburg millionaire and the former chorus girl intense and perpetual mental anguish. Nothing but the death of White could appease their wrath.

Stanford White is dead, and all the tears of all the world cannot bring him back to life again.

Thaw, the man who shot him in cold blood, is alive. Now, to get right down to hard facts, ask yourself this question: Is it better that Stanford White, with all his faults, should be dead and Thaw, with all his faults, should be alive; or that Stanford White, with his marvelous ability, should be alive, and Thaw, with his supreme uselessness, should be dead?

Stanford White left great monuments after him. Some of the buildings he designed are the finest in the world. He was a man of wondrous mental attainments, and his friends and associates were the foremost people in America.

Take for instance the guests at his human pie dinner. At that meal were Augustus St. Gaudens, the greatest sculptor in all the world; Charles Dana Gibson, who has established the type of beauty for the American women, and other men of equal reputation in the sphere of arts and letters.

It was really a remarkable dinner. After the cocktails, the oysters, the soup, the entrees and the conventional roast, there was served a great pie, over a foot deep and more than three feet in diameter. Then a chef, resplendent in all the glory of his linen and armed with a knife of finest steel, entered the room. With a stroke sufficient to behead half the Japanese army, he opened the pie.

"And when the pie was opened, the girls began to sing. And wasn't that a dainty dish to set before a king?"

And when the songbirds' chirp was over, the daintiest of dainty young fairies arose from the pieplate and danced like an angel upon the table.

That dinner was simply one of Stanford White's weaknesses. There never was a man in the world that amounted to anything that didn't have a weakness. Stanford White's weakness was for strange dinners and beautiful women. But he had his sober and serious moments when he worked achievements quite unknown to a man of Thaw's mental or moral capacity.

When he was serious he did great things for humanity. He designed fine buildings and tried to make the world more beautiful and more comfortable to live in.

Of course, he was not sane in the strict sense of the word. But what about Thaw? He also has tastes for strange dinners and beautiful women. But he has nothing with which to redeem these faults. The only thing he has done worth while in the world is to spend the millions left him by his father.

If I had my way and were I the dictator of the world, I should put Mr. Thaw in the electric chair, and then call upon the higher powers to create a new breed of Stanford Whites without their weaknesses.

Charles J. Stillwell is dead. He passed away in Canada a few days ago.

The death notice didn't attract much attention because most of the people who were intimate with Stillwell are now out of California, and as he became notorious under another name, the average person who knew him casually has not identified him with the alias by which he was best known to the police, "the Red Spider."

Few men have had the dramatic career that Stillwell enjoyed, for he enjoyed every inch of his life, even its most infamous phases. In fact, I think he was happier when in the depths reaching up to drag other people down to his own level than at any other time.

"Charley" Stillwell first came before the public as a reporter on a local paper. It was during a session of the Legislature, and stories were being peddled broadcast that positions in San Francisco's police department were for sale. And, as the Board of Police Commissioners was then a State institution, it was natural to suppose that the positions were being sold by members of the State Legislature.

A man named Elwood Brunner, then an Assemblyman, was alleged to have a monopoly on the sale of jobs. So Stillwell was sent up to Sacramento to get definite evidence against him.

He went to the Capital City, introduced himself to Brunner as a butcher, and purchased a position on the San Francisco police force for a friend.

A terrific scandal followed. Later Stillwell went down to Fresno and exposed a fraud that was attracting national attention. The alleged remains of a giant had been found in the hills. It was a duplicate of the famous Cardiff giant. Scientists

examined it and pronounced it genuine. Stillwell discovered that it was nothing but a replica of a plaster cast made by a faker who had a bunco factory near Bakersfield.

About this time he took young Jack Mackay, son of old John Mackay, the manager of the Hagin ranches in Sacramento county, under his wing, and got him into debt, which resulted in a serious row with his father. So violent became the Mackay family quarrel as a result of the "Red Spider's" machinations that young Mackay committed suicide.

But it was during the famous McWhirter murder case at Fresno that he played one of his star engagements in infamy. He deliberately took up the case against "Dick" Heath, and did everything in his power to send him to the gallows for the killing of the lawyer. Of course, Heath was acquitted, but so bitter was the fight made against him that his life was wrecked and his family never recovered from the shock.

Shortly afterward Attorney D. M. Delmas met and fell wildly in love with Jenesse Young. She was the attraction at the old Bijou theater on Market street, between Third and Fourth. As the leader of the Amazons she was a wonder. She carried a spear better than any chorus girl that had been seen in San Francisco up to that time. She was an exceptionally large woman, and evidently her vast proportions hypnotized the Napoleonic lawyer.

He was wildly infatuated with her, and frequently she chastised him. Once at the Hoffman Cafe she beat him with a canvasback duck that had spent just eighteen minutes on the fire. While trying various cases throughout the State she publicly on several occasions humiliated him.

He had to get rid of her on account of his family. So he sent for the "Red Spider," who had done him great service in the Fair case. Stillwell was one of the men who produced a lot of evidence showing that Nettie Craven was the widow of the Senator. So when he decided to rid himself of Jenesse Young he relied upon Stillwell to do the work. And he did it well. He got one of his detectives, fitted him out with a plug hat, a Prince Albert coat, a coat-of-arms, photographs of his mythical castles in Germany, and gave him the name of Baron von Turkheim.

Delmas paid for everything. When the "Baron" met the Amazon he professed his love and admiration, and she, anxious to secure a title, agreed to his proposal of marriage. They were joined in wedlock a week or so later.

Immediately after the ceremony the fair Amazon distributed her cards as the Baroness von Turkheim. Then she and the "Baron" started East. They had not reached Chicago when the whole thing was exposed. So long as she was a married woman she could no longer trouble Delmas. It was a great sensation. In fact, it was the nine days' wonder of the town. But today very few people remember the details of the affair.

"But after the expose San Francisco was too small for Stillwell. So the "Red Spider" went East, where for six years he figured prominently in a number of notorious cases. But now he is dead and the various webs that he wove about people in his efforts to secure illegitimate legacies and to break up families are forever shattered.

He was the only desperate crook I ever knew who had not a single decent trait.

As the sale of the Contra Costa Water Works by William J. Dingee and his associates to the Realty Syndicate people is the biggest financial deal ever pulled off in this State, Oaklanders may be interested in knowing that William H. Mackinnon did more than anybody else to bring about the settlement. Mackinnon labored for months to harmonize the differences between Dingee and Havens and Smith, and finally succeeded in making the battling financiers see the wisdom of coming to terms.

What he got out of the deal I do not know, but it is certain that he rendered both parties to the transaction a tremendous service. But for him the big deal which has just been consummated could hardly have been arranged.

Mackinnon is one of the shrewdest operators in Oakland. Years ago he turned his attention to real estate and made a big thing of it. In the last fifteen years he has accumulated several hundred thousand dollars, and is making money every day. He is about as keen a judge of real estate values as there is in Oakland, and hence is a valuable man for the Realty Syndicate to have around. He was actively connected with the syndicate for several years, but after dissolving that connection acted as Dingee's agent in buying lands and property rights for the Contra Costa Water Company. It was due to his shrewdness and prompt action that the Contra Costa got the advantage at the opening of the legal battle that was begun over the waters of San Pablo creek. It is said that Mackinnon moved the mouth of that stream six miles up in the hills, and made land titles in two townships dance a wild jig.

However, he set about to bring Dingee and Havens together in a mood to do business, with the result that the Contra Costa was sold to the syndicate people.

THE KNAVE

FERRY RAILWAY SYSTEM WILL BE ELECTRICIZED

Southern Pacific to Expend Two Million Dollars at Once in Alameda County.

That the Southern Pacific Company is to have trolley lines installed in its Alameda county ferry railway system in the very near future is an established fact, and according to information received from General Manager E. Calvin, the entire work will be completed within seven months. Contracts for \$2,000,000 have already been awarded.

The Southern Pacific said Mr. Calvin has already begun work in changing into an electric road system the steam railway lines running from the Alameda ferry mole into Oakland and Alameda, and the undertaking should be completed within the next seven months. The present rails and timbers will be used. It will be an overhead system and the company will build a power house of its own and generate its own electric power. The power house will have a capacity for future needs. A location for the power house has not yet been selected but will be shortly. Shops and car barns on an extensive scale are to be erected at Alameda Point.

MAY WIDEN MOLE.
In order to make the new transportation so perfect and as safe as possible we may widen the Alameda mole and also have a system of overhead tracks. By this means more trains can be handled on the mole, thus expediting the delivery of passengers onto the boats and their loading on to sailing trains. That mole will be devoted exclusively to suburban electric trains equipped in every respect in up-to-date fashion.

Contracts for work totaling about \$2,000,000 have already been let or will soon be let. It is the intention to have shops for the electric system separate and apart from the steam-

road shops. When the suburban lines centering on the Oakland mole are changed into an electric system the latter a rolling stock will use the same shops at Alameda point. A system of car barns near the Oakland mole will be erected for the accommodation of this latter rolling stock.

PLAN MAPPED OUT.
Just when work will be started on changing the Oakland mole suburban lines into an electric system is not known. The company wants the Alameda mole system perfected and in working order first, and all its energies will be devoted to the latter for the time being. The plan for the electrification of all the ferry lines is mapped out in detail, and the electric work is to be finished as expeditiously as possible. One power house is to suffice for the entire system and its machinery will be on a large scale.

STEEL CARS USED.
It is the intention of the company to have a system as good as, if not better, than any other in the United States. The order for the cars has not yet been let but in all probability steel cars, each 67 feet long, with a seating capacity for eighty people, will be used.

The company will effect a tremendous saving by operating its lines with electricity from its own plant instead of from the lines controlled by the Martin de Saba combles, running from the Sierra Nevada mountains.

According to Mr. Calvin, the Southern Pacific Company handles 22,000,000 passengers a year many more than was the case before the Key Route became a competitor for the Oakland and Berkeley travel. This is due to the rapid growth of Oakland and the transbay towns.

JAPANESE ARE TAKING ACTION

Want to Prevent Jap Coolie Labor From Coming to the Coast.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—A petition to the government and to the Japanese Association of America, for the immigration of Japanese labor is being circulated in the city. The petition is signed by a number of prominent citizens and is being distributed to the Japanese community. The petition is being signed by a number of prominent citizens and is being distributed to the Japanese community.

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His advice pertaining to love, law, business, education, health, and all the other things that concern the human mind, is of such a nature that it is of great value to all who are interested in the future. He gives the key that opens the door to the mysterious future.

NOT A CENT FOR RELATIONS

Eccentric Retiree, Rich Good to His Friends in His Will

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—Charles Collins, an aged and eccentric retiree, who died recently in this city, bequeathed a fortune in cash and real estate to his friends. The will was filed in probate today by executors L. W. Houghton and A. C. Houghton. Collins was unmarried but had several living brothers and sisters.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

The official map endorsed by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county showing all the latest subdivisions, and lines of transportation and street railways will be ready for delivery about March 1, 1907. No official map has been issued since 1902 and the important developments in Alameda county since that date renders this map an invaluable guide for all real estate, industrial and real estate interests.

ANCIENT CHINESE WAR SHIP
Wang Ho now at Webster-street wharf. A chance only once in a life time. This is the worst disease on earth, yet the easiest to cure. YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO. Many have plagues signs on the skin, sores in the mouth, ulcers, falling hair, bone pains, catarrhs, and don't know what is the matter. It is BLOOD POISON. Send to DR. BROWN, 315 Arch St. Philadelphia, Penn. for BROWN'S BLOOD CURE \$2.00 per bottle. Lasts one month. Sold by Owl Drug Company, Oakland and San Francisco.

LAST DAYS OF REMOVAL SALE

Now for the wind up! A few days more and the Big Removal Sale will end. And as the end grows near greater grow the savings. There's good "picking" here yet, even though thousands of dollars worth of our stock has been disposed of, but you must come at once. In every line of house-furnishings the price reductions are immense—furniture, carpets, rugs, linoleums, matting, curtains, children's carts, stoves, etc., all being forced out.

We could not possibly find room for any of this stock in our new store when the new stock now en route is displayed, although we will have five spacious floors. Our future home is to be a grand store and a magnificent stock of home furnishings is coming for it.

2 WHOLE CAR LOADS
HIGH GRADE IMPORTED ENGLISH LINOLEUM
\$1.20 the sq. yd.

This Linoleum
This immense shipment (two carloads) of high grade, genuine imported English Linoleum should have been here weeks ago and would probably all have been sold at the regular price of \$1.65 square yard long ere this had it arrived on time. Now right at the end of our Removal Sale when we want to dispose of everything quickly we are compelled to let this splendid Linoleum go at a very low figure. Inlaid Linoleum of this quality, as you probably know, lasts for years even when put to the most severe test as a floor covering for hotel lobbies, halls, saloons, restaurants, stores, etc. A fine lot of patterns to select from. The removal sale price is only
\$1.20 the sq. yd.
Wire Mattresses
Enough wire mattresses to go into the wholesale business remain unsold. Hence a most sensational price reduction to move them in a jiffy.
\$3.65
While they last
Regular price \$5.50.
Strong, finished frame, a close, double weave wire fabric with heavy cord edge and three rows of tempered coil springs as an under-support. A wire mattress that you can depend on for comfort and service. If it is something you need, speak for one tomorrow sure. All sizes.

CLEAN-UP PRICES ON Door Mats
Something that is not called for as often as many other articles and we have a very extensive assortment. Many of them are high grade imported fibre mats which sell ordinarily at from \$3.50 to \$6.00. Removal Sale prices represent
A Saving of from 25 to 40 per cent

100 Rolls Matting
Extra heavy and of superior quality. A Matting which sells for 40 cents per yard at any other time. We bought 100 rolls recently and it has just come in. No goods sold at regular prices during Removal Sale so we have made the reduced price of this splendid matting
25c the yd.

Breuners
12th & Harrison Sts.

LOOKING FOR WHO INSULTS WOMEN
The authorities are looking for a well dressed individual who is walking around the streets annoying and insulting women. The man is about six feet tall of dark complexion, and wears a long dark overcoat. It is said that in passing women on the street, he addresses insulting remarks to them, and many complaints have been received by Chief of Police Wilson.

ONE IS KILLED, SIX INJURED
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 2.—A fire kindled by workmen constructing the new Monon Railway grade near Linton spread to a storage-house where more than a ton of giant powder and 1000 pounds of dynamite were stored, at noon today, setting off the explosives and killing a workman and fatally injuring six others. The majority of the workmen ran for safety, but one attempted to extinguish the fire and was killed.

START CRUSADE AGAINST MACHINES
The police have started a crusade against the owners of slot machines, who pay coin for the checks won by players. This is contrary to the law, and the violators are to be placed under arrest.

FORETELLING THE FUTURE
SHERMAN
469 Tenth St.
Low Fee This Week
50c.

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Rupture
Cured, to stay Cured, by Dr. Pierce's Electric Truss. World-renowned. Different from all other trusses. Prices \$12 to \$15. 31 years experience. Call or address PIERCE & SON, 1417 Chestnut St. (cor. Central Ave.), ALAMEDA, CAL.

Great Alteration Sale
One Day More—Tomorrow
THAT'S ALL
Prices Cut 1/2

Suits. \$15 to order
Pants \$4 to order

SCOTCH PLAID TAILORS
1054 WASHINGTON STREET - OAKLAND, CAL.

We keep our suits pressed and repaired all year round free.

We have a few uncalled-for suits on hand which we will sell at HALF PRICE—**\$7.50**

DO YOU WISH TO POSSESS THIS KEY?
To the vaults of happiness, friendship, wealth and fame, or will you plod along, vainly hoping that luck or chance may open the door for you? Why not consult Sherman? He can and will assist you.

LEARN WHAT IS BEFORE YOU.
He gives dates, facts, figures, reliable and important advice and information on all business undertakings. Not only your past and present life, but your entire future, and everything that can be gained by consulting Sherman, the successful business psychologist, who is the greatest master of occult science and psychic forces the world has ever known.

COME AND BE HEALED.
If you are sick in mind or body, he will, without asking questions or annoying physical examinations, tell you the nature and cause of your disease, and show you the way to perfect health, success and happiness.

CONSULT THE BEST NOW. MERIT WINS.
A SATISFIED PATRON IS HIS BEST ADVERTISEMENT.
Delmar's Institute of Psychology
Office, 469 Tenth St. bet. Broadway and Washington

SAVE MONEY AVOID PAIN
Teeth Extracted Without Pain
Acknowledged to be the easiest and best painless extraction in Oakland.
I will tell you the best way to make our best sets of teeth for \$2.00.

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1113 Broadway, Oakland, 2109 Fillmore St., San Francisco.

SET OF TEETH
22K GOLD CROWNS \$1.00
GOLD FILLINGS 1.00
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BRIDGEWORK 1.00
No charge for extracting when teeth are ordered. A written guarantee for 10 years with all work.

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EILERS MUSIC CO

1075-1077 CLAY STREET

GREAT 1/3 OFF SALE



Prices on the Finest Line of Pianos in Oakland Cut to Smithereens

Absolutely the greatest cut price piano sale that has ever taken place on the Pacific coast-- also the greatest saving opportunity for the purchasing public of Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda Pt. Richmond and Alameda County.

When we advertise pianos at special low prices and one-third off of regular prices we do exactly as we say and a visit to our store will more than surprise the most skeptical.

We have sold several pianos since starting this great cut-price sale and people are taking advantage.

To all people who want a fine piano we want to more thoroughly impress upon your minds the inducements that we are offering now. It is worthy of your immediate attention, and if you will only call at our store on Clay street your good judgment will do the rest.

Just look at this fine list of pianos—Hazelton, Kimball, Decker, Crown, Schuman, Schubert, Haines Bros., Pease, Haddorff, Hobart M. Cable, Smith & Barnes, and over thirty other leading makes of finest pianos made in the United States—all included in this great sale.

We have several Baby Grand Pianos included in this sale of standard make, and a beauty, at \$534. We know if you see this you will buy it quick.

We also have several slightly used pianos that we are offering at prices out exactly in two, or just one-half off regular prices.

We must dispose of ten carloads in thirty days and the prices we are making on the finest line of pianos to be had in Oakland are certainly just what you have been looking for. Tell all your friends and come yourself and examine our instruments and compare prices with other dealers, and you will go home rejoicing over the purchase you made at the big store and the largest concern doing piano business in the United States.

ALL REGULAR PRICE \$200 PIANOS, NOW ONLY \$143

"	"	"	\$250	"	"	\$173
"	"	"	\$300	"	"	\$200
"	"	"	\$350	"	"	\$234
"	"	"	\$400	"	"	\$267
"	"	"	\$450	"	"	\$300
"	"	"	\$500	"	"	\$334
"	"	"	\$550	"	"	\$367
"	"	"	\$600	"	"	\$400
"	"	"	\$650	"	"	\$434
"	"	"	\$700	"	"	\$467

Same easy terms as heretofore—\$6, \$8 and \$10 per month puts a fine piano in your home, and nobody can afford to miss this great saving opportunity.

We have several square pianos of standard makes that you can buy at your own prices and terms.

Every piano in the house marked in plain figures.

We extend a cordial welcome to all to examine our pianos and prices.

Girls bring your papa with you. We know he will never leave our store without buying you a fine piano at our low prices and easy terms of payment. Only \$143 buys a brand new piano fully guaranteed, and on terms of \$6.00 per month.

Pianos tuned, rented and repaired.

Store open evenings until 10 o'clock.

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HER LADYSHIP WRITES PLAYS

Entertains House Party With Dramatic Version of "Robin Hood."

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by the Hearst News Service over longest leased wire in the world.)

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Thirteen-year-old Lady Kathleen Hastings, daughter of the Earl of Huntingdon, is an accomplished playwright, actress and producer of plays. At her father's Staffordshire home, Madeley Manor, she has entertained a distinguished house party with a dramatic version of "Robin Hood," written by herself in which she played the part of the bold outlaw of Sherwood forest. She chose the story of Robin Hood for her play because, in the legend, Robin is created Earl of Huntingdon, although there is no connection between the outlaw and the present family. The little play was performed on a stage arranged in the large drawing room of Madeley Manor. Lady Kathleen was supported by a company of child actors, including her two younger sisters, her brother, Viscount Hastings, aged six, and little Count Michael Torby, son of the Grand Duke Michael of Russia, who was among the audience, with his morganatic wife, Countess Torby. Several other plays by Lady Kathleen have been successfully produced by her at the Theater Royal, Madeley Manor.

PLAN TO STOP EMIGRATION

Proposed to Start Londoners Towards the Pacific Coast

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LONDON, Feb. 2.—The accredited representatives of the American government—Lucas Manning and William Hoare—are in London with a scheme to stop the flow of emigration into Canada and to divert some of it to the Pacific coast. They want, however, only men of "good character, industry, and some means." They are negotiating for the chartering of a liner to carry such persons as are selected to the coast. Each candidate must undergo a medical examination and must fulfill all the necessary conditions for disembarkment at New York. Mr. Manning speaking to a prominent official of the Salvation Army the other day declared that the Pacific coast and the adjacent country will furnish the American millionaires of the future.

DR. KELLEY WINS
Fred C. Clift was defeated last night by Dr. A. S. Kelley in the caucus held by the delegates to the Republican convention from the First Ward. This means that Kelley will be nominated for school director from the First Ward. Clift is at present a member of the city Board of Education.

THIS GIRL IS A LUCKY ONE

Seven Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars Settled on a Young Woman.

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LONDON, Feb. 2.—The wedding of Walter Burns, Pierpont Morgan's nephew, to Miss Evelyn Cavendish Bentinck, whose mother was also an American, is now definitely fixed for next Wednesday, although it was originally set for the 12th of February. The king opens parliament that day in state a few yards from St. Margaret's, Westminster, where the wedding takes place, and to make the king's presence possible the date was changed. The queen, in any case, will not be present at the wedding. Mr. Burns, who made a very unfortunate marriage from which he was released by divorce, has presented to his future bride Lord Carington's house on Grosvenor street, and some magnificent jewels. In addition, he has settled on this lucky girl a sum of \$750,000.

NEWS AS IS NEWS
Can always be found in THE TRIBUNE want columns, Houses and lots, dogs and cows, furniture for sale, flats to rent, boy wanted, rooms to rent, stores for sale, clerks to work, and hundreds of other news of THE TRIBUNE.

DISRUPTION FOLLOWS SEPARATION IN FRANCE

Legislation Organizing Public Worship Remains in a Disturbed State.

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PARIS, Feb. 2.—The separation of state and church is an accomplished fact, and there is no getting away from it. But the legislation organizing public worship is by no means so well advanced, on the contrary it is in a very disturbed state. Rome, having opposed her veto, or to use the language of the Vatican, its "non-pus-simus" to all the offers made to it, Imbroglio and disruption have followed and have been so prejudicial to good order in the state, to the majesty and calm which the practice of religion requires. These disorders the directors of the republican policy, sectarian as they are, do not care for, and although they do not state as much, they would willingly come to an understanding. But here is the difficulty: The Vatican will not listen unless it is addressed personally. All sorts of secret negotiations have been set on foot, but without effect. It wishes to appear what it is in reality—a great earthly power.

Under these circumstances what is likely to happen? It is difficult to tell and it is more than probable that solution will only be arrived at after a change in the ministry. M. Clemenceau probably will pass the reins of office into the hands of another even more anti-clerical than himself—those of M. Combes.

The latter, the prime mover in the religious persecution, would be persona grata with the radical socialists, for he is incapable of any weakness in respect of the religious powers. This party would go as far as to allow him to resume direct negotiations with a representative of the Vatican. And so a direct peace as regards the exercise of public worship would be arrived at. M. Combes would have provoked a war against the holy see, and M. Combes it would be who would make peace with it again. Politics have their little ironies. This is what is being said in Paris about our internal quarrels and the manner of settling them. M. Clemenceau's days are numbered, and M. Emile Combes is again coming into favor. Poor France!

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RETURNS
WHEN PLACED IN
The Tribune
Let Us Introduce You to Our
Circle of Friends
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ADS.

TWO DAYS IN WHICH TO OBTAIN AN EXTRA BALLOT

Close of the Special Offer Will Be Made
Monday, February 4--About Certifi-
cates to Be Issued.

Including Sunday two days remain in which to obtain extra ballot of 2000 votes on a yearly paid-in-advance subscription.

Monday, February 4th, at 10 p. m. is the close of the special offer, and after that date certificates good only for 1000 votes will be given on a yearly subscription.

Get in now and make the race of your life as now is the only chance of doing so much and getting the most for your efforts.

Subscriptions coming to the office from outside candidates sent by mail will be counted providing the postmark bears the date before 10 o'clock p. m. February 4.

Every candidate who has any intention of winning the valuable prizes offered by the TRIBUNE must make giant strides as the several races are becoming very hot and votes are coming to the office in great numbers.

Showing that the various contestants mean business and are working very hard to win.

Don't wait until you see just how many votes someone else has before starting in yourself, but get to work now and get enough votes to equal those who are working hard and win a fine piano or one of the building lots.

For the benefit of those who do not understand the matter of transferring votes to another candidate, the contest manager wishes it known that the standings of one candidate positively cannot be given to another in case of withdrawal.

This is done in fairness to all the contestants, as the contest is absolutely fair and impartial.

Today and Monday are the last days of double voting and remember that this offer or one better will positively not be given again during the contest.

All that is needed is determination and activity, using both in a persistent energetic way which will bring forth every vote and subscription you go after.

Don't let this opportunity pass of winning one of the rich prizes offered by THE TRIBUNE, as such are not presented every day and the chance of a lifetime to get just what you want and need is given you now.

Some one is going to win every prize offered, in the different classes, in the contest. Why can it not be you?

Every candidate is going in to win so "don't put off until tomorrow what can be done today." If you do somebody will be sure to beat you.

Some seem to think that another special voting period will be given, but not so, as the only chance given you is now.

Take advantage of it and win a rich prize.

"Roses red and violets blue
Everybody gets votes,
So why not you?"

That's the idea, you can get them, too, so renew your energy and redouble your efforts and make the one winning fight of your life.

OAKLAND DISTRICT.

Miss Mabel McCrecheon 16,003
Miss Laura Johnson 14,743
Miss Lillian Graham 11,323
Miss Victoria Garcia 9,260
Miss Dorothy Fleck 5,755
Miss Linda Johnson 4,641
Miss Ethel Hill 3,707
Miss Ethel Tuck 2,859
Miss Mary Wynn 2,412
Miss Etta Houschield 2,325
Miss Lona Lawton 1,123
Miss Christine Schumann 1,062
Miss Lenore Bredahl 643

BERKELEY DISTRICT.

Miss Florence Watkins 20,180
Miss Genevieve Summers 18,174
Miss Julia Kern 14,513
Miss Florence McManara 8,086

ALAMEDA AND OUTSIDE DISTRICT.

Miss Annie McKenzie, Laurel Grove 8,123
Miss Louise Smith, Elmhurst 7,844
Miss Ruby Schloer 3,701
Miss Beale Jones 2,923
Miss Stella Hayes 2,544
Miss Ethel Atchison 2,294
Miss Virgie Timmons 2,235
Miss Laura Oster 1,896
Miss Naomi Green 1,812
Miss Gertrude Dussell, Niles 1,191
Miss Grace Pohl, Fitchburg 465

MOST POPULAR UNION MAN.

Prize—\$750 residence lot.

J. E. May 11,969
E. P. Dwyer 10,100
H. J. Howard 10,070
A. E. Taylor 6,157
W. J. Petty 6,129
Joseph E. Rebol 3,370
George E. French 2,351
William Weber 2,108
M. Bishoff 2,008
G. G. Whitfield 1,948
C. M. Wardell 1,945
Harold J. Wiebrand 1,904
George L. England 1,869
Dave Rios 1,861
W. J. Culligan 1,791
W. R. Sneed 1,749
Edward McGuire 1,273
Thomas Lottimer 897
H. A. Maehle 116
W. Brane 68
W. H. Studley 51
A. M. Simons 22

MOST POPULAR LETTER CARRIER.

OAKLAND DISTRICT.

First prize—\$750 building lot. Second prize, \$100 gold watch. Third prize, \$100 gold watch.

Daniel J. Hallahan 57,758
Fred Willie 55,784
M. J. King 51,175
John Z. Barnett 8,210
J. F. Kenney 4,328

ALAMEDA-BERKELEY DISTRICTS.

Prize—\$750 building lot.

W. H. Boehmer 7,364
E. K. Healey 7,026
Ben Hamilton 5,826
A. W. Suter 4,583
F. W. Schulte 3,772

MOST POPULAR POLICEMAN.

OAKLAND DISTRICT.

Prize—A Motorcar.

W. B. Quigley 4,529
John T. Fahy 4,334
C. C. Gargadennec 3,710
Smith 3,611
Alfred Poulter 2,126
Tom T. Merrick 2,098
W. R. Jones 1,765
Milton Emigh 1,449
George Donah 1,221
Jack S. Gardner 1,079
P. McKee 1,075
C. J. Keefe 794

(Cut out this coupon).

VOTE COUPON

The Oakland Tribune Popularity Contest

Please register one vote for

Name

Address

As the most popular

THIS COUPON IS NOT GOOD AFTER FEB. 25, 1907.

STOLE MONEY FROM POCKET

William Key Accuses Two Men
of Going Through His
Clothes.

Accused of having drugged, beaten and robbed William Key, a laborer, Frederick Peaslack and Frank Cook are being detained at the city jail.

Key was accosted Friday night by two men, who drugged him, and after severely beating him stole his money. The police were notified at once of the theft and Peaslack, a solicitor in the employ of a San Francisco paper, and Cook, connected with the Southern Pacific company at the Oakland mole, were taken into custody.

Detectives Quigley and Holland worked on the case yesterday, obtaining evidence against the two prisoners.

When taken before Cook and Peaslack yesterday afternoon, Key identified them as the men who had met him on the street, invited him to take several drinks in their room in the Golden Eagle hotel at 213 San Pablo avenue.

He then left the place in a dizzy condition, he says, and the men followed him.

Key alleges that when he became unconscious from the knockout drops which he claims they placed in the drinks they gave him, they beat him and then took him to his room and stole \$110 in gold from him.

PETTY LARCENY IS THE CHARGE MADE

A charge of petit larceny has been placed against Fred Patterson, who was arrested several days ago by Policeman Thomas Pardee at B-street station in North Oakland, while making away with a satchel belonging to Mrs. A. Simpson, which he had stolen from an Oregon train as it was arriving at Sixteenth-street station. Patterson will appear in the police court Monday morning.

UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE BILL INTRODUCED

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 2.—The bill promised in the speech from the throne at the opening of Parliament, providing for the introduction of universal suffrage and a proportionate electoral system for elections to the second chamber, was introduced in Parliament today. The members of the upper house will continue to be chosen as at present, but the term of service will be reduced from nine to six years.

GREAT POLO AT LAKESIDE

Exciting Games Are Part of Varied Program at Popular Rink.

Next week promises to be a busy one for the Oakland polo team at the Lakeside rink. Wednesday evening they have a match on with the Piedmont team, and again on Friday afternoon with the same team, while on Saturday they go to Vallejo to play a regular league game.

The match on Friday afternoon is for the benefit of the local team, and should be well attended, as all the boys are in the game purely for the sport, and an event of this kind should be well patronized by all lovers of the game.

Monday evenings have been set aside as special ladies' night by the management of the Lakeside rink, which is much appreciated by the fair sex of the skating world.

Today is the last opportunity to see

Wilson, the marvelous trick cyclist, whose wonderful feats have drawn large crowds to the rink all last week.

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SILVER CLOISONNE VASE \$1.00, \$10.00
BLUE CLIPS AND SAUCERS 2 for 25c
KAGA CUPS AND SAUCERS 15c to 50c

The Fuji Oakland's Leading Japanese Store
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2000 VOTES

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Beginning Friday, January 25th, and
Ending Monday, February 4th

2000 VOTES will be issued during the period named above on all yearly paid-in-advance subscriptions.

... Your Only Chance ...

Positively at no other time will extra votes be issued on paid-in-advance subscriptions. This offer of extra votes applies only to subscriptions of one year or more.

Ten Days to Hustle and Win a Prize

Get busy now, as at no other time will subscriptions count for so much.

Every Day is Valuable

CURED OF LUNG TROUBLE.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Osgood Bros., corner Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Removal of Real Estate Firm

The real estate firm of Hughes & Bonstell has been dissolved, Mr. Bonstell opening an office in the Bacon Block, rooms 54 and 55, formerly occupied by the Continental Casualty Co. Mr. Bonstell has associated himself with a well known builder and contractor, Mr. W. S. Gray, and the firm of Bonstell & Gray intend doing a general real estate and brokerage business, at the same time building for the market, contracting, or build to suit clients. Mr. Bonstell will also represent the above insurance company, and will be pleased to meet his former clients, and from our long and continued business acquaintance with him, we bespeak just treatment.

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Byron Hot Springs

America's Greatest Spa, one of the best hotels in the State. Waters that cure, and delightful environment. Week end excursions \$7.50 from San Francisco and return, including two days at hotel, use of mineral baths and waters. Send your family if you can't go yourself. Address "Manager," Byron Hot Springs Hotel, Cal.

Highland Springs

For rest and health, for cleanliness, climate and accommodation stands unsurpassed of all summer resorts. Rates—\$12.00, \$14.00 and \$15.00 per week. For full particulars address R. ROBERTSON.

NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND CITY OF ALAMEDA

WILL CONSIDER
COLLEGE NEEDS

Committees of Board of Regents of State University to Meet.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—Numerous committees of the Board of Regents of the University will meet Monday and Wednesday, the coming week, in San Francisco, to consider the needs of the state on both sides of the bay, and a few student activities of consequence are scheduled in the weekly calendar just issued from the University press.

The newly organized Philanthropic society, composed of stamp collecting enthusiasts, will meet Tuesday evening at the Acaemia fraternity house.

Wednesday night the students' congress will debate on the question, "Resolved, That the modern American newspaper is detrimental to an enlightened public opinion."

Dr. H. B. Torrey of the zoological department will address the Huxley club Thursday night on "The Interpretation of Animal Behavior." The symposium of animal behavior is scheduled for Friday night in the gymnasium.

The full program for the week follows:

MONDAY

Committee on the Food Endowment, 101 California Hall, 4 p. m.

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TUESDAY

French Department Lecture, Room 112, California Hall, 4 p. m. Speaker, Professor Robert Dupuy.

Influence of the French Civilization of the Eighteenth Century in Europe, 4 p. m. Philanthropic Society, Acaemia House, 2311 Broadway, 8 p. m.

The value of Cancellations and Covers in a Collection of Postage Stamps, by H. H. Hall, 9 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Committee on Equipment of Supplies, Willamette School, Sixteenth and Utah streets, San Francisco, 10:30 a. m.

Committee on the Food Endowment, 101 California Hall, 4 p. m.

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THURSDAY

Committee on Finance, Office of Regent Foster, 1210 James Flood Building, San Francisco, 10:30 a. m.

Art History Class, 2038 Ingate street, 4 p. m. Subject, "Fra Angelico and His Followers."

Senior Singing, Senior Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar Club, Delaplanche House, 351 Channing way, 7:30 p. m.

Harvey Club Meeting, Room 25, East Hall, 8 p. m.

Dr. H. B. Torrey, "The Interpretation of Animal Behavior."

FRIDAY

Last day for the addition of courses to study lists for the current half-year. The removal of deficiencies after this date will not qualify a student for registration this half-year.

Academic Council, Faculty Room, California Hall, 11 a. m.

Sophomore Hop, Harmon Gymnasium, 9 p. m.

SUNDAY

Half-hour of Music, Greek Theater, 4 p. m.

The half-hour of music will be given by the Golden Quartet.

COMING EVENTS.

Monday, Feb. 11.—Presentation of Joseph Lauff's Pension Schollier.

Tuesday, Feb. 12.—German societies of the University.

Friday, Feb. 15.—Third Senior Assembly.

Friday, Feb. 22.—Colonial Ball.

Friday, March 1.—Musk and Dagger.

Saturday, March 2.—Charter Day.

Saturday, March 23.—Opera, Greek Theater.

March 29-30.—A series of four lectures on Psychology by Dr. R. P. Angier of Yale University in Room 1, Philosophy Building.

Saturday, March 30.—Freshman Intercollegiate Field Meet.

Saturday, April 6.—Tribble Clee Opera.

Saturday, April 6.—Sanskrit Play.

Saturday, April 6.—First Intercollegiate Baseball Game.

Thursday, April 11.—Art History Class Lecture.

Friday, April 12.—Fourth Senior Assembly.

Saturday, April 13.—Second Intercollegiate Baseball Game.

Saturday, April 13.—Annual Intercollegiate Regatta.

Saturday, April 20.—Annual Intercollegiate Field Day.

**IS EXPECTED TO
ACCEPT FRANCHISE**

ALAMEDA, Feb. 2.—At the meeting of the City Trustees Monday evening it is expected that F. M. Greenwood, who has been granted a franchise to operate an electric road on Clement avenue, will formally accept the franchise. Greenwood has been going ahead with his plans to install his system. With the electrifying of the Southern Pacific lines in this city and the operation of the Greenwood system the city will have an exceptionally fine trolley road and schedule. It is expected that the time to San Francisco will be materially lessened.

USED GUN TO
COLLECT BILL

Saloonkeeper With Strenuous Method Is in Police Court.

RICHMOND, Cal., Feb. 2.—Otto Wansko, who conducts a place on the east side, was brought before Judge Kennon yesterday for attempting to collect a liquor bill with the aid of a revolver. He was arraigned and will have a hearing later.

Tom Plummer was given a five days' sentence for drunkenness.

Today the trial of the man arrested for committing an assault upon F. Weston Sunday evening at the Point San Pablo Hotel is being heard in the police court.

The Young Ladies' Orchestra of Kansas City gave a delightful entertainment at the Santa Fe reading room last evening.

Mrs. George C. Ellis, mother of Engineer Gay Ellis, and her daughter, Miss Charlotte, arrived this morning from their home in Eureka, N. M.

They will pass several months visiting here and in other parts of California.

Norman Neville, cousin of F. M. Neville of the Standard Oil Company and brother-in-law of Rev. D. W. Calfee, arrived here yesterday from Illinois and will visit several months in this vicinity.

John Oberlis and wife of Lincoln, Neb., are guests at the home of their old-time friend, Lee D. Windsor. They arrived here yesterday, coming direct from the Nebraska capital.

The second evening's entertainment, given for the benefit of the Baptist church, was attended by a fairly good audience, considering weather conditions, and local thespians again delighted, as they did the night before.

Some clever specialties were brought upon the boards, and the audience showed its appreciation by vigorous applause and repeated encores.

"Wise Men Have in All Ages," from the Mascot, sung by Mr. D. C. Russell, assisted by a bevy of pretty reciters, was enthusiastically received. The closing number, a scene from the "Mikado," with George Calfee as the Mikado and Miss Lucetta Wood as Katisha, assisted by chorists, made a decided hit.

At an early hour this morning the home of William Wing on Washington avenue, was entirely consumed by fire, together with a greater portion of its contents. The house is one upon which the Continental Building and Loan Association had just foreclosed the sale, taking place Tuesday. The origin of the fire is unknown.

BERKELEY PERSONALS

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—Samuel Taylor of Berkeley passed Thursday in Sacramento.

Heavily headshot of North Berkeley was in Sacramento the first of the week.

J. G. Wright is at present in Sacramento, where he is working in the interest of the anti-vaccination bill.

John Menges of Lorin is confined to his bed with la grippe in his home at Fairview and California streets.

R. B. Troustler and family have moved to 1515 Woolsey street.

Troustler is a recent arrival from Arizona.

W. A. Gates of Berkeley, secretary of the State Board of Charities, spent Wednesday and Thursday in Sacramento.

Captain O. M. Howard, a well-known pioneer and resident of Lorin, is ill with rheumatism at his home at 1724 Alcatraz avenue.

Fred Murat of 1635 Francisco is housed at the police station on a charge of drunkenness. He was released upon furnishing \$10 bail.

M. C. Threlkeld, owner of the eating station of the Southern Pacific Railroad, returned from a trip to Salton sea and the Colorado river yesterday.

Edward McVey, formerly with the Sunset Lumber Company, is now with the Berkeley Lumber Company, where he has taken the position of foreman.

Little Lillian Thornton, the four-year-old daughter of Edward Thornton, living at 1841 Woolsey street, has just recovered from a serious illness.

Mrs. Aurelia Demore of 2840 Telegraph avenue returned yesterday from a month's pleasure trip to Mazatlan, Mexico.

Mrs. O. E. Thomas, residing at 2212 Dana street, who has been ill for the last two weeks, is able to be out again.

Mrs. Thomas is the mother of Mortimer Thomas, who was the leading character in "The Light of Mithra," which was presented here recently.

**HORSE SHORTAGE IS
CAUSED BY FIRE**

ALAMEDA, Feb. 2.—The fire which destroyed fifty horses on Saturday night has caused a shortage of the animals in this city, and they are being shipped here from outside points. A number of merchants have already secured animals to duplicate the ones lost in the fire at the Alameda Stables, while others are having a hard time securing the stock.

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS
HEINZ IS ANNOUNCED

MAY HEINZ.

Marriage of Young Lady to P. R. McMahon,
a Banker of Berkeley, to Take
Place Soon.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—One of the interesting events of Berkeley society that will take place in the near future will be the marriage of Miss May Heinz to P. R. McMahon.

The engagement was announced a day or so ago by Mr. and Mrs. Chris Heinz. Mr. McMahon is connected with the Bank of California and is well known about the bay.

KILGORE IS
AT THE HEAD
TO SING AT
THE MUSICAL

Helen Colburn Will Be a Soloist at Half Hour of Music.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—Miss Helen Colburn Heath, soloist for the First Baptist church and the Bush Street synagogue in San Francisco, will sing at the regular "half-hour of music" at the university tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The concert will be held in the Greek theater if the weather is pleasant but in case of a continuance of the rain the "half-hour of music" will be given in Hearst hall.

Notices will be posted at the entrances to the campus notifying visitors of any change.

Certain matters of program will be rendered by Miss Heath:

(a) "La Calandrin," the canary (N. Jamell); (b) "Connais tu le Pays," from "Mignon" (Ambrose Thomas); (c) "Spring" (George Henschel); "On Mignily Pens" from "Creation" (J. Hadyn); (d) "Ewig Mehl Bleibt was ich Liebe" (Ed Schutt); (e) "Romance and Song," from "Der Freischutz" (C. M. von Webber); Miss Edna Wilcox will be the accompanist.

**NEW MEMBERS
ARE INITIATED**

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—A special adjourned meeting of the Real Estate Exchange was held in the town hall last night to admit six new members and to greet the thirty-two members admitted at the last regular meeting.

Certain matters of professional interest were discussed and Francis Ferrier appointed as chairman of a committee to confer with the attorneys of the exchange, Waite, Keyes & Martin, and draw up amendments to the constitution and by-laws covering such matters as written contracts for the sale of real estate, regulating the rate of commission to be charged, etc.

Plans were also discussed for giving a banquet sometime about the last of the month to which Oakland real estate dealers will be invited.

**NAMES WANTED OF
THE UNFORTUNATES**

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—The appointment secretary of the University of California is trying to secure the new addresses of all the alumni who were burned out in the fire last April, or who have moved since the directory of graduates was printed by the university a year ago. To this end the services of all of the class secretaries and of other members of the classes have been enlisted. The task is an enormous one, as there are now nearly 7000 alumni of all the different departments.

**THEATER SOLD OUT
FOR MINSTREL SHOW**

ALAMEDA, Feb. 2.—The entire lower floor of the Macdonough theater has been sold out for the performance of the Alameda Elks minstrel company, which is to show Monday evening. The performance is under the direction of the Oakland lot.

MANY WOMEN
WILL ATTEND

Federation of Women's Clubs Will Be a Great Event.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—The convention of the Federation of Women's Clubs which is to be held in Bakersfield on February 6, 7 and 8 will be attended by many women prominent in Berkeley society, and Mrs. James B. Hume of this city will have charge of the program. Among those who will address the meetings are Professor F. B. Dunbar, Ph. D., head of the pedagogical department of the University of California; Colonel John P. Irish, whose subject will be "What Fremont Found in California"; C. P. Neilson of Los Angeles; M. W. Almont Gates, secretary of the State Board of Charities, who will speak on the "Child of the Streets"; Mrs. W. N. Sherman of Fresno, a University Extension lecturer, who will discuss "The Business of Housekeeping"; Forest Supervisor C. H. Shinn and State Forester G. B. Lull, who will tell the forestry; W. J. George, the founder of the George Junior Republic, who will address the gathering on the work he has conducted, and Garnet Holme, the English dramatic coach, who will lecture on "Stratford on Avon."

The Bakersfield Woman's Club is engaged in working out the details of the convention, and delegates and visitors will be given a hearty welcome.

WILL HOUSE
ITS EMPLOYEES

Plister Knitting Company Makes Arrangements to Build an Apartment.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—The Plister Knitting Company has just made arrangements to build a number of cottages to house its employees.

The knitting company has had difficulty in inducing factory hands to work in West Berkeley because of the scarcity of lodging accommodations. The intended buildings will cost upwards of \$20,000.

LECTURE AT
KINDERGARTEN

Dr. Edith S. Brownhill Will Talk to a Gathering in Berkeley.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—Dr. Edith S. Brownhill will deliver a lecture next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Grove-street kindergarten on the subject "The Modern Scientific View of 'Diphtheria'." The lecture will be held under the auspices of the Kindergarten Association and will be well illustrated. Information will be given as to the manner of examination of school children by the Board of Health in co-operation with the State University.

MEETING OF SOCIETY
IS ANNOUNCED

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—The next regular meeting of the Berkeley Benevolent Society has been set for Monday, February 4, at 2 o'clock p. m., by its secretary, Mrs. May H. Monson. The meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. parlors.

LOOKING FOR
IMPROVEMENTS

Better Street Lighting System Is the Cry Berkeleyites Are Making.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—In line with the petition for a better street lighting system, signed by the merchants on Shattuck avenue, comes a similar demand upon the town trustees from the University avenue property owners.

Many of the merchants are also in favor of bituminizing this street between Grove and Shattuck.

In regard to these proposed improvements, Fred E. Reed, who recently took a five years' lease on the California Hotel said today: "A majority of the property owners on University avenue are keen for all kinds of improvements and have already signed a petition to have electrolites placed on the sidewalks. They are also in favor of the movement to have the principal streets of the city bituminized."

"While the lights will add greatly to the appearance of the streets, the bituminizing would give considerable additional value to the property. During the rainy season the property is detracted from on account of the fact that direct communication is practically cut off between both sides of the street. In order to reach one of the streets from the other, one is now compelled to go clear around to the street crossings. Bituminizing that costs \$5 a foot will add at least \$50 to the value of property per front foot. Bituminizing is certainly a good investment for any property owner having holdings on business street."

KIPLING TO BE HIS
SUBJECT OF LECTURE

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—Professor Henry Morse Stephens will lecture on Rudyard Kipling's "Puck of Pook's Hill" Friday evening, February 8, in Stiles Hall. This lecture will be given for the benefit of the building fund of the First Presbyterian Church.

"SEEING AMERICA"
CLUB ORGANIZED

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—The "Seeing America Club" was formally organized last evening at the home of Miss Edith Tozier Weathered, 221 Hester street. The club's articles of incorporation were drawn up and read and a code of by-laws adopted.

OLD TREES TO
BE CUT DOWN

One of the Landmarks of Berkeley Will Be Removed Soon.

BERKELEY, Feb. 2.—The beautiful grove of eucalyptus trees which has crowned the North Berkeley hills for twenty years or more are about to be cut down. These famous trees have been a landmark of the city and have excited the admiration of visitors to the college city.

The property is owned by the Ferrier-Brock company. A fourteen-acre tract has been purchased by the real estate company in West Berkeley at a cost of \$150,000 on the bay shore on which a wharf is to be erected. The eucalyptus trees are to be used for piles, as the timber is hard and will be excellent for this purpose. The trees can be easily cut down and conveyed to the water front.

The Ferrier-Brock company intends to lay out in lots the property upon which the grove stands.

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Fashions, after all, are made by, rather than for, the fastidious in dress. It is just the desire to be dressed according to one's own individuality that brings to light those charming little touches which make for so much in the success of a gown, a hat, a little trimming effect; lifts it out of the ordinary, and, often, times starts a new fashion era.

Some of us are born with a talent for dress; others of us achieve it, and it is only the small minority that have it thrust upon them—by a very clever dressmaker.

To be gowned in the very latest expression of the mode, to accord in all things with the reigning fashion—and yet to be dressed differently from every other woman in her set—that is the task that the average society woman sets her dressmaker, be she a Yankee or a Parisienne. Paradoxical enough, it seems, and yet it is true.

The woman of average purse and slender means resigns herself as contentedly as may be to see duplications of most of her possessions upon the backs of her neighbors or fellow town dwellers unless she be gifted with the double talent, one for designing her own clothes, and another for making them after that design.

Once upon a time—and it is not so very long ago—the women upon this side of the ocean were content—yes, and even anxious—to dress in what amounted almost to a uniform. Did Mrs. A. walk up the avenue on Sunday after church with a Swiss pointed belt as a part of her costume, and all the other women of that set were anxious until they too, could parade and display a Swiss belt. Mrs. B.'s feather bonnet and Miss C.'s sailor hat must likewise be duplicated. Let any woman of taste or prominence wear anything that suggested originality, and at once it was proclaimed the latest fashion, and blindly followed according.

Nowadays, however, quite the opposite reigns. Individually and exuberantly one wants to be different, even the most modest costumes. You go to the dressmaker that turns out a duplicate of even the least expensive frock or blouse in her stock for any two customers within a hundred miles of each other; each demands something designed especially and exclusively for her, and expects that her limitations, as well as her good points, be kept in clear view by the designer.

Lucky the woman who can put the stamp of her own individuality upon her clothes. She is about the dressmaker's love to work for, and for whom they will take infinite pains without grumbling, or "caking it out in the bill," as one clever apprentice used to say after a particularly trying session with a difficult customer.

The rise of the ready-made costume has given an impetus to the establishment of just the same individuality in dress, contradictory though the statement may seem at first glance. One can find in the shops today made-to-order gowns, cut by master tailors, put together with skilled workmanship, and price well under the fifty-dollar mark.

A delightful example of the possibilities of developing some individuality in the line of those ready-made costumes appeared the other day. The woman—and she was not very young, either—just what the French term "passé" that youth found a tailor-made costume of a fine French Henrietta in one of those new number-brown shades that are so wonderfully becoming to the brown-eyed, nut-brown haired, and even the gray-haired, cut, daintily lined, and the skirt displayed equally correct lines. It was spoiled for the fastidious, however, by the presence of large brass buttons, a cheap guano and slight cheaper lingerie collar and cuffs. Nevertheless, the woman bought it, recognizing its best points at a glance. The fronts, originally double breasted, were cut away to reveal a white blouse with a double-breasted waistcoat of white whiplash was inserted. The bluish buttons disappeared, as also did the cheap guano. In their place were buttons covered with a soft brown once cut, with an Indian design in the beads decorating the center. The same material made collar and cuffs, and a blue braid in one of the ruffles was applied to the seams and in no intricate pattern above the hem of the skirt altered its appearance completely. The sleeves were cut off just at the bend of the elbow, the skirt provided with a little haircloth, thin and flexible in the hem, and presto! the gown looked as though at least a check for twice its cost had been tendered in payment. And yet the woman had only the assistance of an inexpensive seamstress to accomplish the slight alterations that led to such happy results.

Linon envelopes to fit the purse are the latest fad at the fancy-work shops. You take the purse or bag there, the clever designer at once takes the measurements and cuts the pieces to fit. They are stamped with winter design the owner chooses and worked in blue linen threads, white or colored, just as caprice dictates. For use with the white linen and lingerie frocks of the summertime these covers for bags and portemonnaies are quite the correct thing, and so far the ready-made and machine-wrought article in this line from has yet to appear upon the department-store counters. The little envelope idea has much to commend it for summer use. For one thing, it not only preserves the smart bag or pocketbook from soil in hands that may be wont to be too warm,



EVEN A SHOWER DOES NOT AFFECT IT

but it also fits into the present scheme of things that demands that all the items of the toilette shall match together. Parasols to match each and every gown of the summer wardrobe is another dictum of fashion, and those are preferably in blue, wrought in colors to correspond with the gown. The daintiest designs are displayed in the shops, already made up, but at prices that make them prohibitive to the woman of moderate means. However, we all of us have an old parasol or two the handle of which is in good style, and which shall match together. The departments of the great stores will provide the stamped material, which, when finished, may be mounted upon one's own frame for a trifle or so.

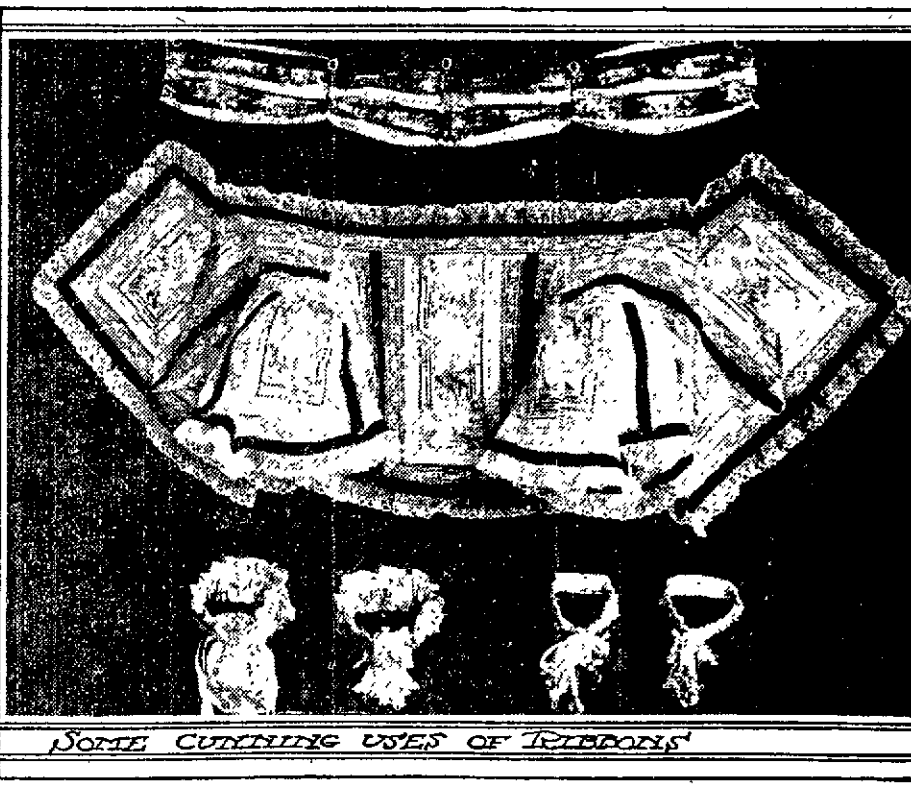
Incidentally, some of the new parasol handles are so nearly being Director's canes in length that they are likely to prove somewhat awkward for general use. A certain length to the stick is what makes a good impression; but here too much of it is likely to spoil the pretty effect.

Another fancy-work fad is the embroidering of laces. Preferably for this work the finer net-top laces are used, and the machine-made design is gone over in rather coarse silk floss. A skilful blunderer in this work will afford all of the effect of a handsome hand-made embroidery for trimming purposes, since after the design is worked over the net can be cut away. One charming little linen gown in blue buttons' linen is made highly effective after this wise: "The lace shows a floral design when it is worked over in dull blue and old Fennellian. Then it is tucked out to the girdle, the raised parts carefully applied, and then the net is cut away. The result is all that could be desired, and serves to bring what would otherwise be rather a plain little frock right into the realm of the expensive hand-made productions.

The reverse of the modish, though, may be shown here, and a smile ensue. At a recent musical—they take place periodically at one of the smart hotels of New York, are followed by a "breakfast" and permission to subscribe for the series places one indisputably among the society elite—a most amusing contretemps declared itself. The soloist of the occasion, an American grand opera prima donna with aspirations to social recognition, appeared on the platform gowned in a Parisian creation of white satin, with a broad and well-defined Paisley stripe. The gown was princess in effect, with a glimpse of hand-painted mousseline de soie—white, with roses and humming birds—and the sleeves of the material of the gumples, rather than that of the gown. The singer's devotion to the Parisian couturier is well known, and a ripple of amusement went through the audience when it was noticed that there were no less than five replicas



LACE MANTILLAS ARE WORN AGAIN



SOME CURIOUS USES OF TRIDONS

of the same gown on the other side of the stage. Each one showed some trifling little difference in detail, such as one had golden brown velvet bows dotting the sleeves and strapping the skirt; another had turquoise blue and another peacock green. But they all displayed the same beautiful cut, the same painted roses and humming birds upon the mousseline, and the very same unmistakable Paisley stripe. And doubtless each and every purchaser had been assured in Paris that she was the only American woman to whom the model had been, or would be, sold. So much for the professional faith of the fickle Frenchman.

The frailty of tulle and maline has kept many an admirer from indulging in trimmings—either for chapeau or for the indispensable tour-de-coût-of this delightful airy, fairy fabric. Now, however, there is an absolutely waterproof maline woven with a good body, which may be indulged in without in the least incurring the charge of extravagance. This does not mean when exposed to dampness, and even after a good summer shower may be shaken out as fresh and fine as originally. All this is of special interest, since one must use this dainty material on at least one chapeau this summer, and the very smartest Fifth Avenue modistes use ruffles of brown maline on the back of bandeau of every hat sent out. Note the color—brown—to match the hair—no matter if the hat itself be a simple black and white pique sailor.

In spite of the measure of success that has attended the Empire gown, the little Empire hat has receded into the background. The favored fan of the summertime is of goodly proportions, although the fire screen that some enthusiasts attempted to push into the region of things

modish is by no means suggested in the new arrivals. Flower, sprangles and little miniature panels are among the more charming designs, and real laces are in the highest vogue for borders. The sticks are of pearl, either plainly polished or carved; tortoise shells, clouded amber, bone or carved sandalwood that emits a haunting perfume of the Orient.

The Face Veil and the Wind Veil.

During the warm weather the fashion of wearing the face veil loosely, the lower border allowed to hang free below the chin, instead of draped closely under the chin, is one that is bound to prove both becoming and comfortable. Where the veil is intended to hang free it were well to select some well-defined pattern, since any of the small and plain meshes rather lose-point when so worn. The wind veil of today is quite different from that of the past few seasons. The latter ones are in the shape of grenadines, with silken figures and velvet dots, quite after the fashion of that grenadine dress goods that was so much in fashionable esteem some few years ago. A plain ribbon border all around serves to weight the sheer stuff, and adds much to its draping. The correct fashion of wear calls for the veil draped all around the hat, with sufficient fullness to the folds to hang loosely all around, and so planned that it may be thrown back off the face when desired without in the least interfering with the pretty set at the sides and back.

Shoe string Philosophy.

Philanthropy as a Buying Basis and Some Remarks on Trading Principles.

They were sitting round the lunch-counter, that delightfully uncomfortable place that suggests the haunts of Benjamin to the initiated, at one of the quieter of smart restaurants in New York. Here one perches upon a high stool up against the counter, with its little shelf for one's purse and packages—would that we might bestow our perplexities there likewise, and forget to clasp them afterwards—and a brass railing just above the floor to rest one's feet on.

The girl in the Lingerie Blouse ordered another strawberry tart, and announced that this would positively be the last she could afford for oh!—and here she heard a sigh—ever so long. She in the Leghorn hat, wreathed in hydrangeas, sympathetically inquired who had been getting married and why did she give such an expensive present. Surely, she could have chosen something that would look quite as big for a lesser price, and the bride would never know the difference.

"Oh, you do not understand at all. It



THE FACE VEIL AND THE WIND VEIL



THE MODISH FAN

is not a wedding, and I have not been giving presents. It is just those awful pumps!"

"Pumps?" queried the girl with blonde hair. "Whatever in the world have pumps to do with strawberry tarts, and why do you sigh as though really and truly a hydraulic pump were necessary to haul it up from the heels of your shoes?"

"The pumps, and I mean it," responded the Lingerie Blouse. "Those wretched pumps, that look so delectably inviting in the shop windows, and that feel so delightfully comfortable when the man sits them on, and you crane for a few steps up and down that strip of carpet—they are the cause of all my woes."

"You see, it is this way. Silk stockings I simply adore, and with a low-cut pump such as every self-respecting soul—no, that is not meant for a pun—is ordering in quantity this year, you really cannot wear anything but a sheer silk stocking. I tried gauze hosiery for awhile, but somehow they looked like economy—they did not look in the least like his master's, so glad of the excuse, I changed back to silk."

"But where does that long sigh and heartbroken look come in this tale of the pumps?" questioned the blonde. "And why don't you come to the point, if you point there?"

"Well, give me half a chance, and you shall hear. Whether it is that I have heels smaller than the ordinary, or the standard, or whatever it is that they make the heel part of shoes so fit, I don't know. But what I do know is that just as sure as I put on a new silk stocking in the morning, I take it off in the evening with the heel part absolutely missing. Just what has become of the place stocking that was there before the hole arrived to take its place I cannot even venture a guess; but the horrible fear always seizes me that I have been going around slip-slipping, with my bare heel showing itself above the back of my shoe at every step. To darn a hole of that size would mean a week's work and a visit to the oculist after. One cannot put in a patch right there, and there is nothing to patch with, and so it simply comes to this, that I wear out a dollar and a half pair of stockings pretty nearly every day. Surely, that's enough to sigh for, isn't it?" she asked, looking for sympathy.

"If that's the way you're running your spending money, and are a positive death of strawberry tarts and ice-cream sodas, and a regular famine in matinee tickets, the Hydrangea-laden hat ventured to remark. "But what are you going to do about it?"

"Why don't you give up the pumps?" sensibly asked the Blonde.

"Give up wearing pumps," ejaculated the Lingerie Blouse. "Why, I would be so far out of the fashion that I might just as well give up all my pretty frocks and take to wearing sackcloth and ashes. Why don't you suggest something feasible, and at the same time pleasant, if possible?"

"Well, it seems to me narrowed down to a choice between pumps and pumps, and, since these are your purse and your pumps, the choice is altogether yours, I should imagine. Were it mine I should unhesitatingly take the pumps, as, truth to tell, I have already done. In the conflict between the pump and the beauty department it seemed I was getting the worst of it, and so I have renounced the fascinations of the low-cut shoe and turned back to the old standby, the oxford."

"But they are not half so smart or good looking," objected the pump devotee.

"Oh, but you can lace them with smart ribbons instead of the usual plain laces."

put in the Honda, "and if you fix a cunning little bow—quite a stiff, flat one at the lower row of eyelets, and quite a broad and splashing one at the top—I think the effect is far more stunning than the slipper appearance that the pump bestows."

"But I can't buy ribbons for my shoes," she pouted. "You know how awfully charitable Auntie is, and she buys all of her shoe-laces from an old man that stands on the street corner, and she has made me promise to do so, too. Auntie says that the old man ought to be encouraged, for he is always so polite and obliging; takes any amount of pains to give you just the right shade of tan silk laces to match your shoes, and just the right width for the eyelets, and she says, too, that when she goes into a store the notion counter is so crowded and the girls so rushed that half the time she does not get just exactly what she should. If one goes into a shoe shop and asks merely for laces the attendant is apt to look displeased at making out a check for only a quarter where he expected one for \$3, at least. And so, since nobody seems to want to sell her shoe laces under a roof, she buys hers all out of doors from the old man on the street."

"Why, what a funny idea," chirped she of the hydrangea-laden lighorn. "I never thought of that before."

"Well," said she of the pumps, "there is one thing that simply charms me every time. He takes such pains and looks so pleasant over it that he makes you feel glad, too. And after he has wrapped up the little package—and, girls, he always uses straw tissue paper, so that no one would imagine that it was only shoe laces, after all—he always smiles and lifts his hat, and then says: 'God bless you, Miss, and send you a handsome husband!'"

"And the prayers of the righteous prevail much," quoted the Blonde, in conclusion.

THE MODISH FAN.

Fans for this season have assumed quite good proportions, and are, therefore, far more effective weapons in playing the game of social coquetry than are the tiny apocryphal heretofore in vogue. In spite of the success destined to the attendant of the modish fan, the modish fan is not by any means prominent, and preference is given to those that admit of a generous display of decoration. The dainty example in the picture shows a combination of the modish and the old-fashioned. The mount is in a fine silk bolting cloth, painted with a long spray of Japanese iris, the flowers in lavender, yellow and purple, and the leaves, red-like leaves displaying the soft, natural tints of green. The duchess lace border makes for a dainty relief, and the mounting sticks of lustrous mother of pearl are highly polished. Quite a feat it is to have a monogram in gold or jewels on the outer stick of even a comparatively inexpensive fan, and the ring through which the chain or ribbon is run is likewise of gold and jeweled, also if circumstances permit. Recently, some London brides have received jeweled fans and monograms on their wedding presents, the latter being always that of the maiden rather than of the married name.

Even a Shower Does Not Affect It.

The charms of tulle—with all its witching becomings to each and every woman—have usually had to be laid aside in the humid weather of midsummer. Of the modish, however, the heavy drapery of mousseline and mawdow, are powerless to affect the latest production in this line, misty fabric. The new finish is absolutely waterproof; in fact, it may be thoroughly soaked and shaken dry without in the least affecting its pretty freshness.

The revive of the poke bonnet is something that has been hanging fire for more than one season, but at last it seems sure of a fashionable acceptance and following. A quaint, old-time effect is given in the steep band that tilts the front, this trimmed with maline, dotted with little moss rosebuds, quilted after the way of our grandmothers' bonnets. The straw is a milk-white crin, the rose dotted maline fashioned into a thick ruche around the crown, and two large white ostrich plumes are perched nodding at one side. Dainty strings are tied quaintly under the chin.

The craze for maline neck ruffles in one that gains ground daily. Those short neckpieces that appeared at the early part of the season are already superseded by the longer bows. Their construction is easy enough, when one is accustomed to hand sewing. The maline is simply taken in the broad gold, doubled and made into a thick double box pleated caught on the upper edge only, and then tacked in cascade fashion to the foundation of white satin ribbon that supports the tiny mass. Little moss rosebuds are tacked in at intervals through the maline, matching those on the chapeau, and a whole effect is as dainty and pretty whole may be imagined.

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- \$3500**—Pearl st. cottage of 5 rooms and bath, near 38th and Telegraph, 3x16, terms.
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2-story modern flats; 5 rooms and bath, up-to-date and in good condition; lot 40x100, with 20x30 key addition; located on Chestnut st. near 18th st. cars. Now rents at \$50 per month.

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An up-to-date 2-story 6-room dwelling and bath; Queen Anne style; nice lawn; laundry; all open plumbing; cement sidewalk in back yard; lot 32x100; don't miss this, located on 25th st., sunny side, between Grove and Telegraph. This is an elegant buy. Terms can be arranged.

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Nice 5-room cottage; high basement; lot 32x110; nice barn in rear; see this.

Snap; 2-story, 8 rooms, all modern; lot 35x100, close to station; house alone worth more money.

Two-story, 8-room house, in good condition; lot 45x125; this is close to station and a good buy.

Two-story house of 6 large rooms and nice lot on 18th ave.; close to station, this is brand new and easy terms can be had.

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Four-room cottage, bringing a income of \$60 per month; situated on Sherman st., just east of Telegraph ave.; lot 37x125.

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\$50,000—Telegraph ave. and 45th st., lot 75x130, improved business corner; an exceptional bargain.

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117 San Pablo Avenue

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Handsome 9 room house on 46x150 lot near Telegraph and 27th \$7000

50x150 lot with modern 7 room residence, situate on 8th ave., close to East 18th st.; house has large rooms, 2 mantels and grates, large reception hall, stationary washstands, laundry and everything complete \$4750

75x110 on the crown of the hill facing south, on Orchard st., near Telegraph. \$7500

We have \$1000 that says this is the finest vacant residential site in Oakland.

4 good flats on 7th ave., near 12th; income \$75 \$7500

5 flats on 8th near Union; income \$65 \$7500

Broadway near 7th, per foot \$1000

Seventh near Broadway, per foot \$600

North side 7th near Union; 50x100 \$5000

On S. P. R. R. near mole; 132x133 \$10,000

"B" st., 25x100, business lot \$2,000

Magnolia st.; 50x128 \$350

Telegraph ave., N. W. corner, 100x123 \$30,000

Third st., near Madison; 25x100 \$1600

14th st., between Webster and Franklin; 50x100, improved \$7500

Empton ave.; 40x110 \$1500

Third st.; 25x100, 2 flats \$3250

Grove st.; 3 modern apartments; on 41x110 lot, rent \$100 \$7250

Near San Pablo ave. and 65th st.; 50x113; high lot; a snap \$5500

Forty-sixth st., east of Grove; 40x100 \$3500

Six-room modern bungalow; 40x120 lot; Melrose \$2300

East 27th st.; 63x140; macadamized street; south front; fine view and neighborhood \$1150

Near terminus of 4th-ave. line; 60x205, covered with fine orchard \$13000

Stratmont ave., Linda Vista; 10-room good house on 50x111 lot, N. E. corner; few days only \$4500

West st., near 40th; 205x90; Subdivision Tract \$4700

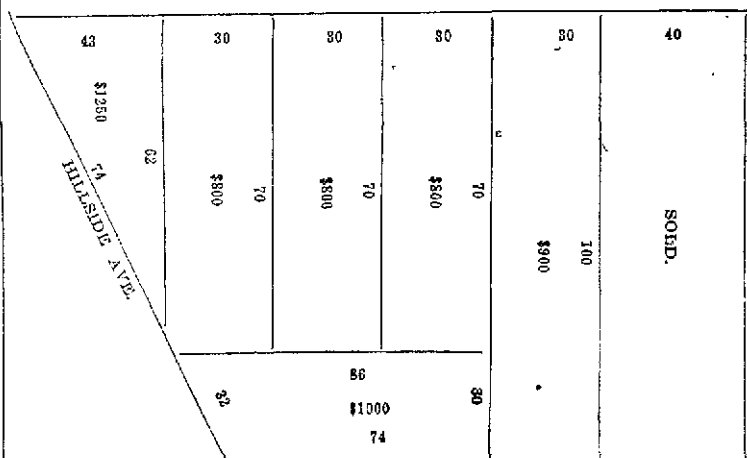
Oakland ave., east side, near Vernon steps; 60x112 1/2; the cheapest lot on Vernon Heights \$2500

Corner on 34th and West sts.; 100x102 \$4150

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An Oakland Avenue Car—take it to Hillside Avenue—take a look at these lots—take one or more of them—and take your judgment before you take our word, that the prices will take an advance of twenty per cent in sixty days.

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175x150; double frontage, first-class improvements; paying \$1000 per month net. Under heavily bonded ten-year lease. One of the most rapidly increasing districts on Twelfth street, two blocks from the Orpheum theater, right in the line of new improvements under course of construction. Owner must either sell 1/2 or all of this holding at once. Would prefer to sell 1/2; that is, an undivided 1/2 interest in the property. At present there is a loan of \$40,000. The man holding the lease will have to spend \$6000 to \$20,000 during the term to improve the buildings, all of which reverts to the owner at the expiration of the lease. The value of the buildings at the present time is about \$20,000; total price, \$80,000. Would sell 1/2 at \$42,000. If you want something first-class in every respect at a real bargain that can be handled for little money, do not fail to see this.

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New and elegant house in Linda Vista Terrace; sunny corner lot, 70x100; an ideal home. Don't fail to see this.

\$25,000

Lot 90 feet front; sunny side of street; two 7-room and one 8-room house. Can be converted into business property; present income \$120 per month; can be increased to \$160. Near corner of San Pablo avenue and 19th street.

\$1150

Vacant lot on 28th street, near San Pablo avenue; lot 25x100. Terms if desired.

\$1800

Vacant lot 35x16, near 26th and Broadway, 4 blocks from the Key Route station on 23rd street.

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Three new and up-to-date 7-room, 2-story houses. Will be finished in a few days if desired. On Grove street, between 30th and 31st.

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This property consists of 10 flats of 55 rooms, about 3 years old, located on the northwest corner of 7th and Alice streets, with 70 feet on Alice and 100 feet on 7th. Can arrange a lease for 5 or 10 years at a rental of \$300 per month net, secured by a strong cash bond. The property is occupied by white tenants. This is without question one of the best buys to be had in Oakland at the present time, and will easily turn at \$36,000.

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\$1700—\$5 acres, all tenable; fine vegetables, 7-room house, large barn, hog pen, chicken houses, 1 horse, harness, spring wagon, 4 cows, 5 pigs, 2 dogs, chickens, farming tools; furniture in house; a bargain; located near Boulder Creek, Santa Clara Co.

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\$2750—Bungalow, 5 rooms; fine condition; Magnolia, near 24th and Key Route; lot 32x95, \$500 down, balance \$1000.

\$2750—Cottage, 4 rooms; 45th st., near Broadway; lot 75x184; \$550 down, balance monthly.

\$3500—Cottage, 5 rooms; 1 year old; 7th ave., near 20th; lot 31x100; \$800 down, balance \$250 a month.

\$2750—Bungalow; 1 year old; 5 rooms; brick mantle and fireplace; gas and electric; Linden st., near 30th, lot 32x75; \$1800; will handle this.

\$3750—House, two-story; 1 year old; modern; near Piedmont ave. and 36th; lot 32x114; \$1250 down, balance monthly.

\$4500—House, two-story; 7 rooms; fine; 5th st. near Market; lot 17 1/2x120; \$1500 will handle this.

\$2900—Cottage, 5 rooms; 2 years old; modern; 20th st., near 23d ave.; \$400 down, balance \$25 a month.

\$2550—Bungalow; new; 5 rooms and bath; near 4th and station and school; lot 50x120; \$800 down, balance \$20 a month.

\$1800—Cottage; new; 3 rooms and bath; Melrose; near station and school; lot 50x120; \$600 down, balance \$20 a month.

\$1350—Cottage; new; 3 rooms; lot 25x120; Melrose; near S. P. station and school; \$500 down, balance \$250 a month.

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Buy this beautiful mansion on the west side of Walworth ave., bet. 36th and 37th streets. This is a large house, electricity and gas; cement basement with furnace; oak mantle, paneled walls, in golden oak oak beam ceiling, automobile garage, large driveway; this is a magnificent home, and worth while investigating; lot 60x114. (E-255)

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Buy this beautiful 9-room house on Vernon st., near Santa Rosa ave.; this house is strictly modern and almost new, has gas, electricity; cement basement with furnace and laundry; large reception hall, large closets and pantry; inside of house elegantly arranged; large driveway, automobile garage, etc.; grand view, near Oakland ave. car line; this is one of the prettiest homes in Linda Vista; lot 60x132. (E-255)

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Buy a beautiful 8-room 2-story house close to Grand ave., on Summer st., electricity and gas; large reception hall, large laundry, grand view; beautiful street; this is a beautiful home for this price; we can give immediate possession on this house if the buyer will take it next ten days; lot 64x120. (E-254)

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Buy one of the most artistic homes in Linda Vista, on the hill, 3 blocks from Oakland ave. car line; has an unobstructed view; 7 large rooms; finished in golden oak; 2 large open houses, including basement, finished off in curly redwood; large lot, 40x132; this is the best buy in Linda Vista today. See it at once. (E-254)

34TH ST., ON THE HILL

\$7000—

Buy this magnificent residence, 3 blocks from Telegraph ave., on the hill; has 8 large rooms and reception hall, electricity and gas; basement and laundry; interior of house finished in golden oak; 2 large open fireplaces, 2 large china closets; this is one of the prettiest homes in that location; lot 45x140. (E-255)

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Buy a beautiful modern 8-room house practically new; has electricity and gas; laundry, basement; this is one of the best buys in Oakland and should be investigated at once; we can easily turn this at \$6000 advance to the purchaser; lot 33 1/2x110. (E-256)

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\$5500—

Buy this beautiful home of 88 large rooms, strictly modern, electricity and gas, large new barn and driveway; basement, laundry; this is a very artistic home; should be investigated at once; lot 40x150. (E-256)

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Very artistic, 5-room modern bungalow, finished in natural pine, large open fireplace, china closets, strictly modern and nicely arranged; near Key Route station and Piedmont ave.; this little bungalow will rent readily for \$40 per month; lot 30x100. (E-255)

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\$7750—

Buy these elegant modern flats of 5 and 6 rooms, on an elegant corner near Telegraph ave.; these flats are new and strictly modern, and the best buy in the city offered; has beam ceiling and paneled walls; this elegant corner alone worth \$6000; can rent these flats for \$20 a month; lot 30x100. (E-240)

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Buy this beautiful artistic 5-room bungalow, the prettiest in the city; you ever saw; near Piedmont ave. and Key Route station; if you are looking for a neat little home, see this one first; lot 30x125. (E-256)

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FOR SALE—\$2500—New, modern, two-story bungalow, the prettiest in the city; large lot, large room, upstairs, 5th downtown; building just completed; will rent readily for \$20 per month. See owner on telephone.

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\$10,000.
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Ten-room house on a lot 46x100, close in. This is a fine piece of property; the property alone is worth \$2000 a front foot and is still on the increase.
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A 7-room house, modern in every respect, on a lot 50x100; north side of 24th st., near Grove; this property is paying at present 10 per cent on this price; come in at once, as we only have a contract on this property for a short time. Mortgage of \$3000 can stand.
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A pair of 5 and 6-room flats, just finished; upper flat rented for \$40 and lower for \$45, this property is located on Lytle st., bet. San Pablo avenue and Market.
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Nine-room house, story and half, on a lot 35x100; right in town; this is a beautifully finished house.
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Six-room house, almost new; lot 33x150; near Telegraph ave. and Key Route; it must be taken at once for this price.
\$2350.
A magnificent cottage, close in, on a lot 35x100.
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Lot 50x250, near Grove st., this side of 40th st.; this is certainly below the market.
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A lot 68 ft. by 100 ft. on the west side of Brush st., near 22d; one of the most desirable places for flats or an apartment house; close to San Pablo ave. and Key Route; the improvements are nominal.
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\$1800
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A neat pair of 6-room flats, bath, pantry, laundry, and only 7 minutes to Broadway and 12th st., N.W. corner, 30x100; will easily rent for \$50.
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\$1500—North side Dwight way, near Grant; 50x135.
\$1250—Alcatraz ave., east of Telegraph; south frontage; 34x115.
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\$2000—A lot on east side Spring street, in North Berkeley; unobstructed marine view. No more like this in town.
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42500—Snap; nearly new 7-room house, partly furnished; bath, pantry, laundry, etc.; lot 32x120; street work and walks complete; 3 blocks from Key Route and S. P. stations; rents for \$50 per month. Terms, \$600 cash, balance monthly.

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OAKLAND STOCK EXCHANGE

Morning Session, Saturday, Feb. 2.	
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1000 Blue Bull	23
1000 Bonnie	23
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CLOSING STOCK LIST.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The closing stock list was as follows:	
Adams	100%
Amethyst	100%
Alice of Windsor	100%
Blue Bull	100%
Bonanza	100%
Bullfrog	100%
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LATEST NEWS FROM NEVADA GOLDFIELDS

RYHOLITE, Nev., Feb. 2.—The absorption of the Montgomery Shoshone mine, the biggest mining property south of Goldfield and Tonopah, by the Shoshone Extension, is being followed by the absorption of the Montgomery Shoshone Extension by Pittsburgh capitalists.

Options on the holdings of the principal stockholders have been purchased, and the price paid for the control was considerably above the quoted market rates.

W. H. W. Hamilton, general manager for the McCormack-Dorsey Interests, has just returned from the property, and reports himself well pleased with conditions now existing. A big twenty-five horsepower hoist has been built, and shaft buildings, a blacksmith shop, an engine house and a pump house are being constructed.

As soon as these buildings are ready for use sinking will be continued to the 400-foot level. Everything points to this mine as being a great producer, as there is an ore body to the north

of the Shoshone vein which should develop into an equally desirable property.

The Ash Meadows Water company, of which L. O. Ray is president, sold a half interest in its water rights to Ex-Governor Waters and associates of Pennsylvania, for \$150,000. The deal was put through at Scranton. The new company will supply the town of Greenwater, by pumping to the summit of the Funeral range. There a reservoir will be built and the flow to the mining town will be by gravity.

EMIGRANT SPRINGS.

The Emigrant Springs section of the Panamint is attracting a great deal of mining attention these days. The principal property in this section is held by Bob Montgomery.

There is a strong showing on the surface and the ore is continuous in the property to the bottom of the deepest workings, now 150 feet.

Montgomery says there is \$3,000,000 worth of ore in sight, and the fact that he believes his own statement is shown by the fact that it is his interest that are building the 25-mile pipe-

line which will supply the district with water.

The new camp is connected with Ryholite by a wagon road across Death Valley, and a telephone and telegraph line is in process of building. The new camp has a live newspaper, and will be supplied with light and power by the California and Nevada Power company, as soon as the wires can be extended south from Goldfield and Tonopah.

The miners and property owners of the Lee district, which has been reported favorably by Professor Samuel Aughey of the United States Geological survey, the Smithsonian Institute and the University of Nebraska, have met and organized the Lee Mining district. C. E. Kinsaid was elected recorder.

In his report Professor Aughey stated that this district had been long overlooked by the prospector for the reason that the gold was not at the surface, and that even in the best mines traces of gold were not evident until shafts had been sunk a distance of from 11 to 20 feet.

AUSTRIANS PAY ENORMOUS TAX

Every Citizen of the Country is Assessed on a Sliding Scale.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by the Hearst News Service over longest leased wire in the world.)

BERLIN, Feb. 2.—Wealth in Austria pays a graduated income tax, every citizen earning \$250 a year or more being taxed on a sliding scale. Thus a man whose income is \$250 pays \$1.44 (about 1% of 1 per cent) income tax, while the richest Austrian citizen, whose income is \$2,000,000 a year, pays \$100,000, or 5 per cent.

The average income of the Austrians during 1905, as shown in the revenue returns, was about \$7,500,000, which produced income tax to the amount of about \$12,000,000. There are 1,800,000 income taxpayers in Austria, nearly one-half of whom earn \$75 or less. Only twenty persons have incomes of more than \$200,000, while 226 citizens have \$40,000 and upward.

HOW NAILS WERE NAMED.

Several accounts are given of the origin of the term "sixpenny," "eightpenny," "tenpenny," and so on, as applied to the various sizes of the old-fashioned nails. According to one statement, when nails were made by hand, the penny was taken as a standard of weight, and six were made to equal the weight of a copper penny. Another explanation is that tenpenny nails originally sold for tenpence a hundred, and so on, the smaller nails selling for the lower price. Still another explanation is that 1000 nails of tenpenny size used to weigh ten pounds, 1000 of the sixpenny size six pounds, and so on. Of the ordinary sixpenny nails, there are eighty to the pound; of the eightpenny there are fifty; of the tenpenny, thirty-four; of the twelvepenny, thirty-nine.

CASH WHEAT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Cash: Wheat—No. 2 red, 75c; No. 3 red, 74c; No. 4 red, 73c; No. 5 red, 72c; No. 6 red, 71c; No. 7 red, 70c; No. 8 red, 69c; No. 9 red, 68c; No. 10 red, 67c; No. 11 red, 66c; No. 12 red, 65c; No. 13 red, 64c; No. 14 red, 63c; No. 15 red, 62c; No. 16 red, 61c; No. 17 red, 60c; No. 18 red, 59c; No. 19 red, 58c; No. 20 red, 57c; No. 21 red, 56c; No. 22 red, 55c; No. 23 red, 54c; No. 24 red, 53c; No. 25 red, 52c; No. 26 red, 51c; No. 27 red, 50c; No. 28 red, 49c; No. 29 red, 48c; No. 30 red, 47c; No. 31 red, 46c; No. 32 red, 45c; No. 33 red, 44c; No. 34 red, 43c; No. 35 red, 42c; No. 36 red, 41c; No. 37 red, 40c; No. 38 red, 39c; No. 39 red, 38c; No. 40 red, 37c; No. 41 red, 36c; No. 42 red, 35c; No. 43 red, 34c; No. 44 red, 33c; No. 45 red, 32c; No. 46 red, 31c; No. 47 red, 30c; No. 48 red, 29c; No. 49 red, 28c; No. 50 red, 27c; No. 51 red, 26c; No. 52 red, 25c; No. 53 red, 24c; No. 54 red, 23c; No. 55 red, 22c; No. 56 red, 21c; No. 57 red, 20c; No. 58 red, 19c; No. 59 red, 18c; No. 60 red, 17c; No. 61 red, 16c; No. 62 red, 15c; No. 63 red, 14c; No. 64 red, 13c; No. 65 red, 12c; No. 66 red, 11c; No. 67 red, 10c; No. 68 red, 9c; No. 69 red, 8c; No. 70 red, 7c; No. 71 red, 6c; No. 72 red, 5c; No. 73 red, 4c; No. 74 red, 3c; No. 75 red, 2c; No. 76 red, 1c; No. 77 red, 0c; No. 78 red, 0c; No. 79 red, 0c; No. 80 red, 0c; No. 81 red, 0c; No. 82 red, 0c; No. 83 red, 0c; No. 84 red, 0c; No. 85 red, 0c; No. 86 red, 0c; No. 87 red, 0c; No. 88 red, 0c; No. 89 red, 0c; No. 90 red, 0c; No. 91 red, 0c; No. 92 red, 0c; No. 93 red, 0c; No. 94 red, 0c; No. 95 red, 0c; No. 96 red, 0c; No. 97 red, 0c; No. 98 red, 0c; No. 99 red, 0c; No. 100 red, 0c.

CHICAGO WHEAT MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—The wheat market today opened quiet and prices were strong. A cold wave throughout the winter wheat section was the principal influence. Shorts were active buyers and offered more light. May opened 1/2c to 3/4c higher at 73 1/2c to 74 1/2c, sold at 73 1/2c to 74 1/2c and declined to 73 1/2c to 74 1/2c.

The cold weather which strengthened the wheat market had the opposite effect on corn. It was estimated that the movement would be largely increased by the hardening of the roads and that the amount of contract corn would be increased by the low temperatures. May opened 1/2c higher at 49 1/2c to 49 3/4c and sold at 49 1/2c to 49 3/4c.

The oats market was quiet. May opened unchanged to a shade higher at 29 1/2c to 29 3/4c and sold at 29 1/2c to 29 3/4c.

Prices in provisions were firm despite a 5c decline in live hogs. May pork opened 7c higher at \$17.50; lard was 5c higher at \$23.50, and ribs were 5c higher at \$23.50.

COPPER AND LEAD.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Lead and copper quiet and unchanged.

WOOL MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 2.—Wool—Steady; Territory and western medium, 20c; fine medium, 18c; fine, 16c.

CLOSE ON WHEAT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Close: Wheat—May, 73 1/2c; July, 73 1/2c; Sept., 73 1/2c; Corn—May, 46 1/2c; July, 46 1/2c; Sept., 46 1/2c; Oats—May, 43 1/2c; July, 43 1/2c; Sept., 43 1/2c; Pork—May, \$17.50; July, \$17.50; Sept., \$17.50; Lard—May, \$23.50; July, \$23.50; Sept., \$23.50; Ribs—May, \$23.50; July, \$23.50; Sept., \$23.50; Cash—Cash, 46 1/2c; May, 46 1/2c; July, 46 1/2c; Sept., 46 1/2c.

MARKET FOR THE WEEK.

The market was strong all day on a good general demand. The high point for May was 73 1/2c. The close was strong with May up 1/2c.

Sentiment was bullish in the corn pit after the middle of the session. The low point for May was 46 1/2c. The close was easy with May off 1/2c at 46 1/2c.

CHICAGO CATTLE.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Receipts, 200; market steady; beefs, \$46.00; cows and heifers, \$35.00 to \$35.25; stockers and feeders, \$25.00 to \$25.25; calves, \$25.00 to \$25.25; Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market low; mixed and butchers, \$7.00 to \$7.25; good heavy, \$7.00 to \$7.25; rough heavy, \$6.75 to \$6.90; light, \$6.75 to \$6.90; pigs, \$6.00 to \$6.25; bulk of sales at \$6.00 to \$6.25.

SHEEP—RECEIPTS, 2000; MARKET STEADY.

sheep, \$3.00 to \$3.25; lambs, \$3.50 to \$3.75.

MONEY ON CALL.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Money on call nominal. Time loans easier; sixty days, 6 per cent; ninety days, 5



Kahn Bros.

THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE

Twelfth Street, Toward Washington; Oakland

Important Announcement

We feel that our patrons are entitled to know the reasons of the reductions we make in this advertisement. Such prices cannot wisely be quoted without some excellent cause for the sacrifice.

Once, or possibly twice a year, we sell out the bulk of our stock by means of a clearing sale, thus leaving practically clean shelves for spring and summer arrivals.

This year the usual clearing sale was conducted under a great handicap on account of the succession of rainy days, particularly Mondays and Saturdays. The result has been that there still remains much desirable merchandise that should have been sold.

Spring is fast approaching and the time for clearing sales is almost past. We figure that six days is all the time we can give to closing out these lines and consequently have cut prices that will draw thousands to our store tomorrow and the days following in spite of any weather conditions.

Very respectfully, KAHN BROS.



A week of special value giving that you'll remember for months to come

THIS IS BARGAIN TIME AT KAHNS.

These are the days when the sharp buyers come, when shoppers gather merchandise enough to last for months to come, when the clever, economical little woman buys a winter hat for 1-3 price and a few flowers and makes a spring hat out of it.

Now is the time when those folks handy with the needle get their gowns for the season to come—for these are bargain days, clearing days, days when cost counts for little and time counts for much.

There are suits your friends paid \$35 for now offered for \$20. There are hats that were \$2.50 now 50c; there are other hats (rain hats) for 9c that actually sold for 98c. There are hundreds of similar values—scores of them that are never advertised—dozens of lots, ticketed on the counters that we cannot announce, for the lots are too small, and disappointment plays no part in Kahns' advertising policy.

So come tomorrow expecting to see and to get some great bargains, for they'll be here for you—

Rainy Day Hats

that sold for 98c, now each 9c

Yes, that's a fact! And there are other values in the Millinery Department almost as ridiculous. These rainy day hats are of black, all-wool and come in three neat shapes. You can trim them up if you wish. Just the hat for these wet stormy days. No mistake about the price. Nine cents is right while they last. Kahns' don't consider cost these days.

\$2.50 HATS FOR 50c.—Not all are \$2.50 hats but lots of them are trimmed and untrimmed; ladies and children; (many in fine children's styles). Tailor made Walking effects—just the kind of hats for school and every day wear. About three hundred all thrown in at one clean-up price regardless of cost—each 50c

\$4.00 HATS FOR \$1.98.—These are mostly walking hats in the clever, chic smart styles now so generally worn. Will be right up-to-date for several months, so get one at Kahns' tomorrow at a bargain—each 1.98

ODDS AND ENDS ONE-THIRD OFF.—Miscellaneous line of high grade trimmed dress hats. Only a few. Those who call early will find a surprise. Can't quote prices. Now here's a tip! SEE THE TABLE OF WINGS — SELLING THEM AT 10c, 25c and 39c EACH.



Muslin Underwear Greatly Reduced

Now is the time to buy your year's supply of Muslin Underwear. Odd styles are just as good as any others, if they fit. We wouldn't have to be clearing out odds and ends if the styles were not popular—fact that all are sold but a few proves the original prices were right.

Regular \$1.00 Embroidered White Skirts to be cleared out at, each 79c
Regular \$1.75 Embroidered White Skirts to be cleared out at, each \$1.25
Regular \$3.50 Lace Trimmed Skirts to be cleared out at, each \$1.98
Regular \$1.25 Umbrella Flounce Skirts to be cleared out at, each .75c
Regular \$2.75 Circular Flounce Skirts to be cleared out at, each \$1.50
Regular 75c Corset Covers, to be cleared out at, each .39c
Regular 85c Cambric Night Gowns to be cleared out at, each .50c
Regular \$2.25 Ladies' Chemises, to be cleared out at, each \$1.25
Regular 75c Cambric Drawers to be cleared out at, each .45c



A Walk Out of Walking Skirts

We have given orders to clear out the whole stock of separate skirts—particularly walking skirts. Our departmental manager is now in New York buying for spring and summer and the stock MUST be cleaned up before his return and the arrival of the new goods.

We haven't all sizes in every pattern but there are so many, many patterns of every size that you'll surely find something suitable.

All miscellaneous \$5.00 Walking Skirts reduced to \$3.95
All miscellaneous \$4.00 Walking Skirts reduced to \$2.95
All miscellaneous \$3.00 Walking Skirts reduced to \$1.95

These prices do not include alterations. We cannot afford to alter them at such prices.

Fancy Silks

that sold for \$1.50 now 75c Yd

This is certainly a bargain time! Now, take these silks, for instance: They're splendid silks—in fact, the very silks we have been selling for \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a yard. They're all of those that have been left over—perhaps 2000 yards in all, and we are going to clean 'em up tomorrow in a hurry.

In the lot:
Fancy Moire Velours Printed Warp Effects
Persian Silks Novelty Striped Effects
Dresden Silks Mesaline Silks
Plaid Taffetas Louisienne Silks
Plain Moire Velours Marie Antoinette Silks
Fancy Chiffon Taffetas

Remember, not a silk in the lot ever sold for less than \$1, and lots of them sold for \$1.50. Almost every staple every staple here is a bargain. While they last—yard .75.

Two from Dress Goods

ALPACA.—Our 75c grade, 34 inches wide; comes in myrtle, royal, brown, navy, black and cream. A snap while it lasts—yard .59c

BLACK ZIBELINES.—also Panama and Bison Cloth. These are all \$1.50 and \$2.00 suitings; from 54 to 58 inches wide. If you want a black dress here is a bargain. While they last—yard .98c

Sheets and Table Linen

SHEETS.—Linen finish; extra good sheets and very heavy; seamed and ready to use. Sell everywhere else at 70c. Kahns' tomorrow—ea. 59c

DICE TABLE DAMASK.—Unbleached and full inches wide. This is a quality that will give a lot of wear for its money. Regularly 50c. Sale tomorrow at Kahns'—yard .39c

Here's a Bargain in a Ready-Made Suit

There must be 200 Suits in the lot and at least 125 different styles. Some are women's suits and some are misses' suits. Some are of taffeta silk and some are of woolen materials such as Cheviots, Serges, Panamas, Tweeds, etc. The variety is far too great for detailed description.

THESE SUITS ALL SOLD FOR \$50, \$35 and \$40. They are in the prevailing styles and will be fashionable all summer. You'll find all sizes (plenty of the extra large sizes too.) These suits are elegantly made and are high grade garments in every particular. Sale of them beginning Monday morning—ea. \$20

Right Now a Grand Line of Sorosis Shoes

See Window

We carry the most perfect stock of Sorosis Shoes that has ever been shown on this Coast. Our variety in dainty, snappy Slippers and Oxford Ties for spring is now complete.

We have a full variety of those justly famous **SOROSIS COMFORT WALKING BOOTS** in high shoes and ties, in all sizes and widths. We make no extra charge for extra large or small sizes.

Infants', Children's, Men's and Boys' Shoes in any style and at any price. All widths and sizes, and expert fitters to see that the little folks get the same comfort that the grown-up folks insist upon.

Grand Value Giving in Embroideries

SWISS EMBROIDERED FLOUNCINGS FOR HALF PRICE; 27 inches wide, deep worked edges in embossed and eyelot designs. Worth up to \$1.25 yard. A splendid value here tomorrow at—yd. 65c

INSERTION TO MATCH EMBROIDERY mentioned above, 8 inches wide, exactly same quality as the flouncing and worth up to 75c yard. Special to—morrow—yard .35c

NEW EMBROIDERIES.—good quality cambric, beautifully embroidered in solid and open work designs; deep edges, wide margins, new patterns, edges up to 10 inches wide and insertions to 4 inches. Values to 25c per yard. Special—yard .12½c

HEAVY TORCHON LACE EDGES AND INSERTIONS; good quality, new designs; edges up to 3½ inches; insertions to 2½ inches. Values to 12½c per yard. 5c

PERCALINE Underskirts

Moireen Finish

Did you ever hear of such a thing before? An undershirt—and a rustling undershirt, too—for six bits.

They're just as neat and pretty as they can be and for every day wear are just the things. They are cut fine and full, are light in weight and in such pretty shadings as tans, browns, pinks, grays, greens, blue. Finished with a ruffled flounce and well made throughout. On special sale, each 75c

Demonstration of Armour's Extract of Beef

Exceedingly interesting! And better still, the demonstrator proves her words by giving each lady interested a nice warm little cup of soup—Tastes fine during the afternoon shopping.

Then if you promise (just promise) to buy a jar of your grocer she gives you a cook book and a measuring spoon.

We don't generally allow demonstrators in our store, but the two previous visits of this same demonstrator have been a real pleasure to ourselves and our customers, and we hope she comes often—You just ought to meet her. It's mighty interesting to know all about Armour's Extract of Beef.

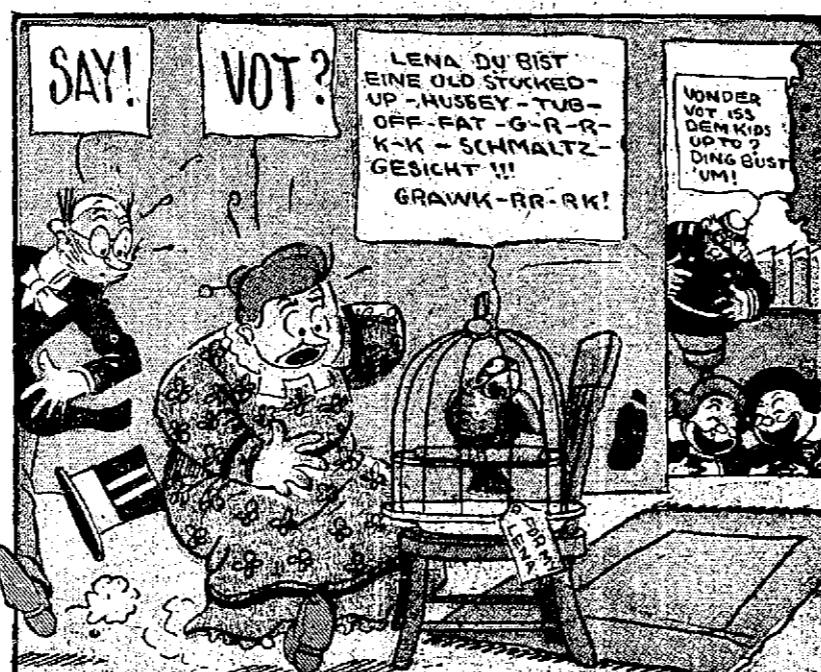
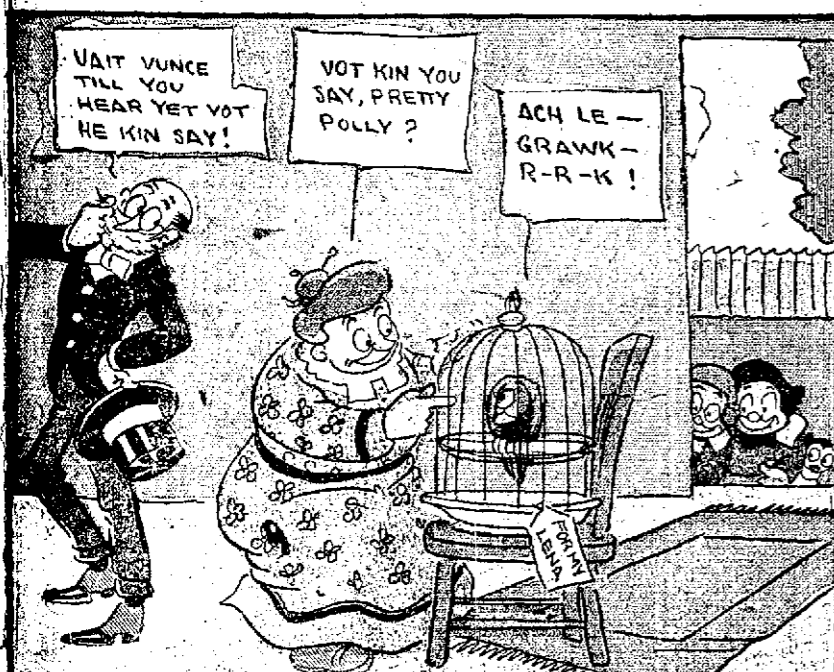
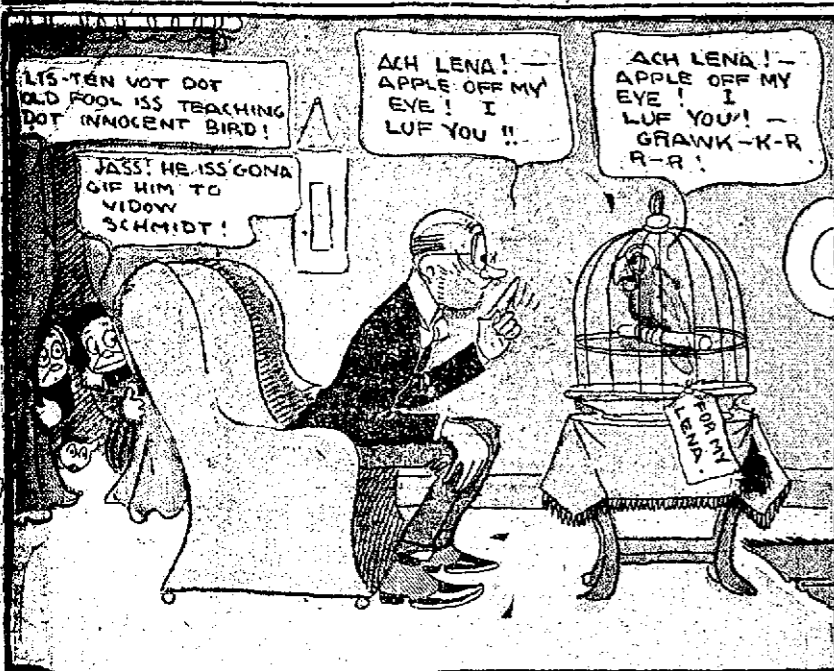
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Kahn Bros.

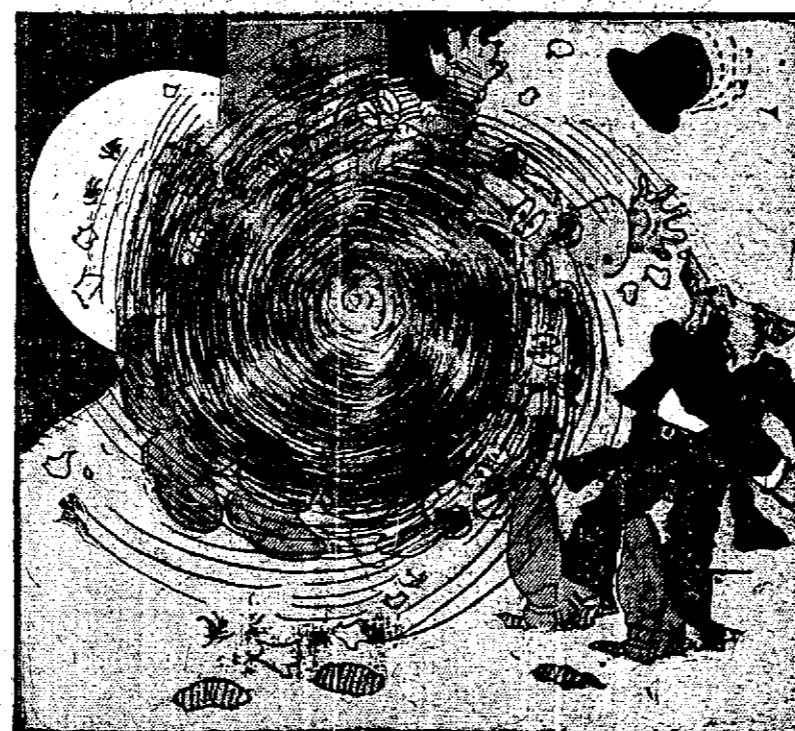
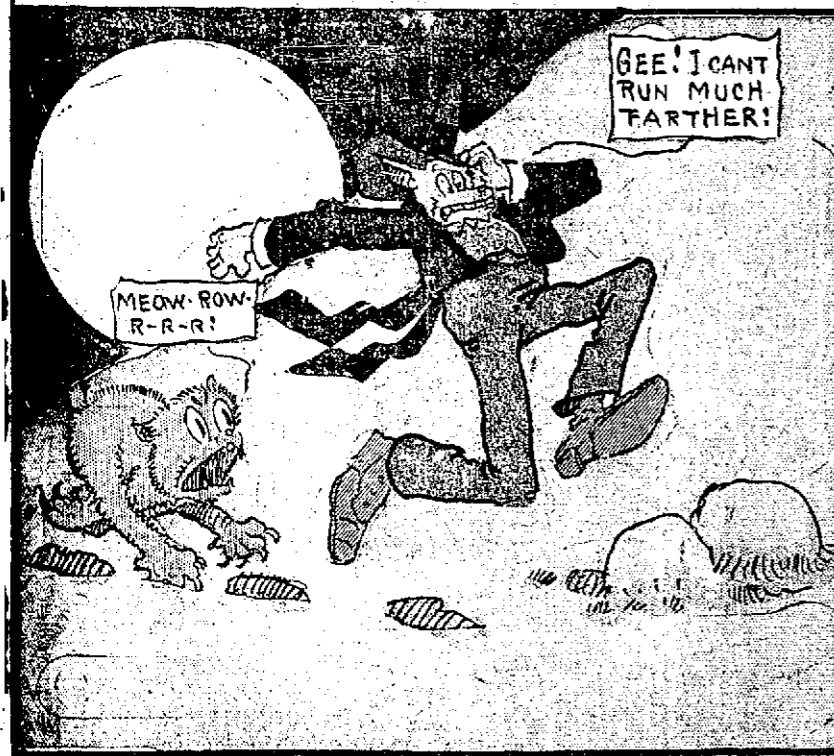
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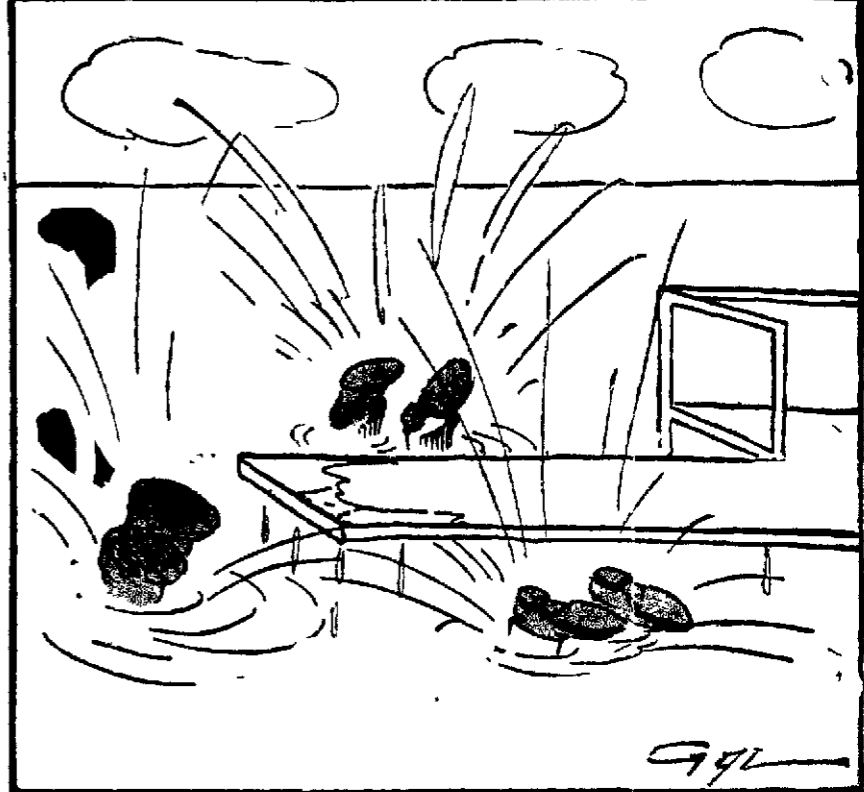
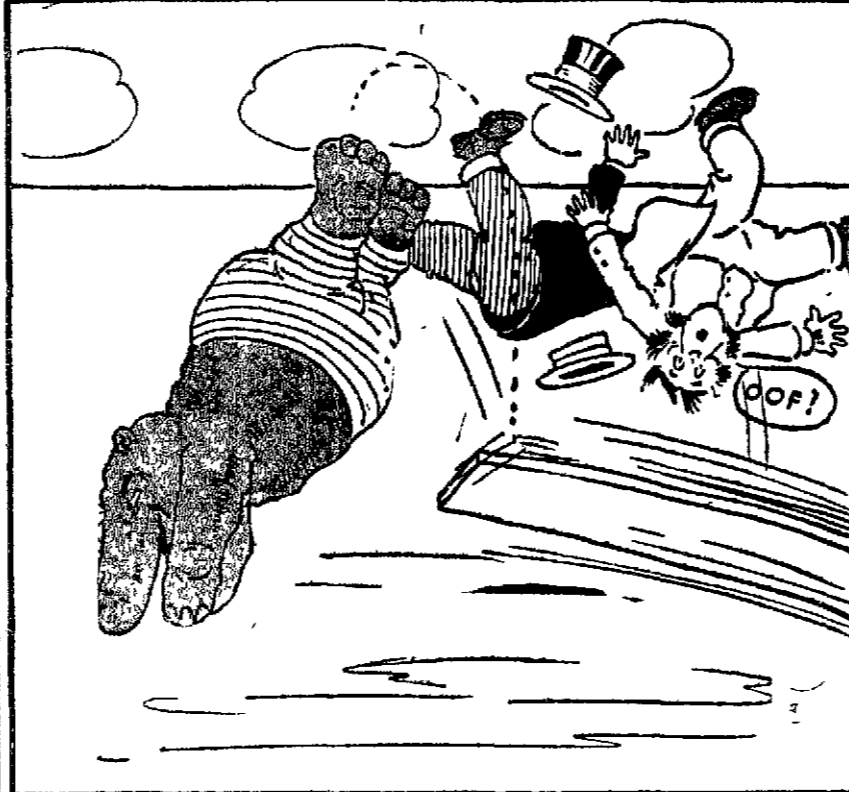
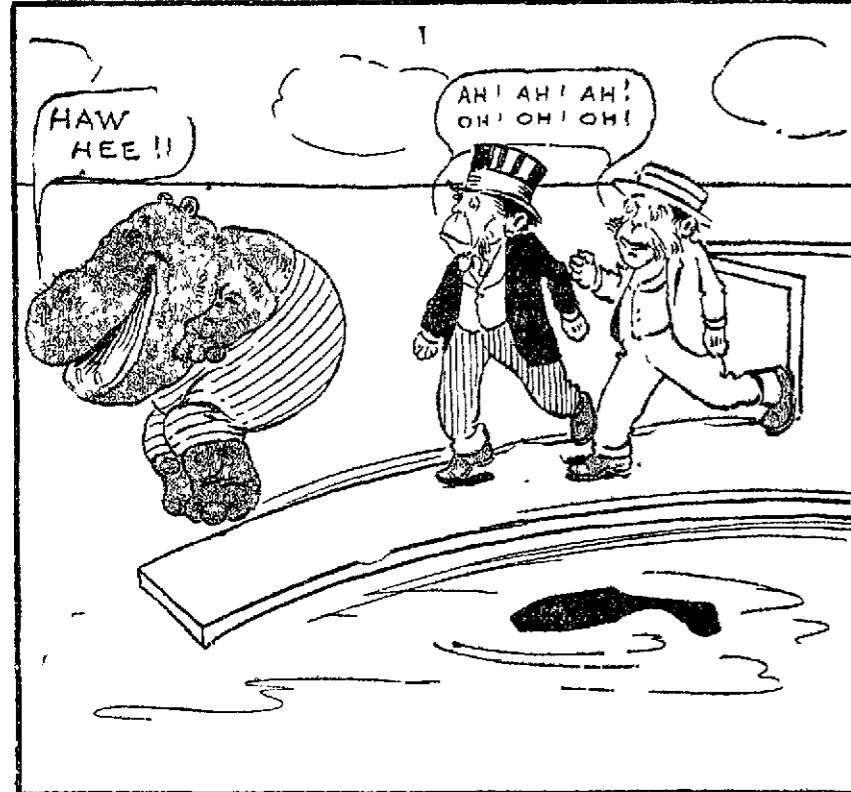
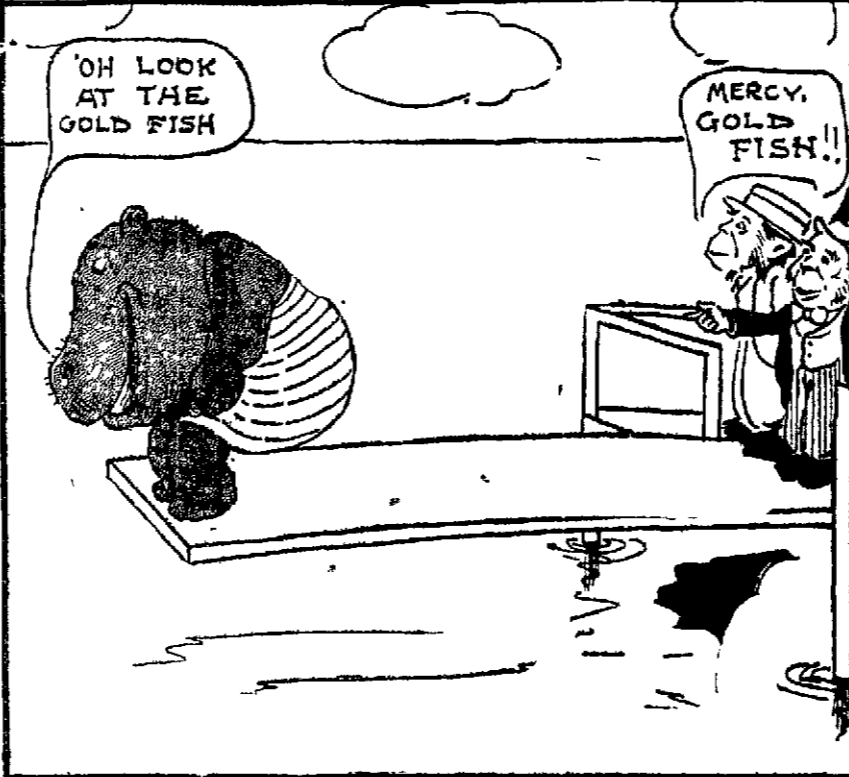
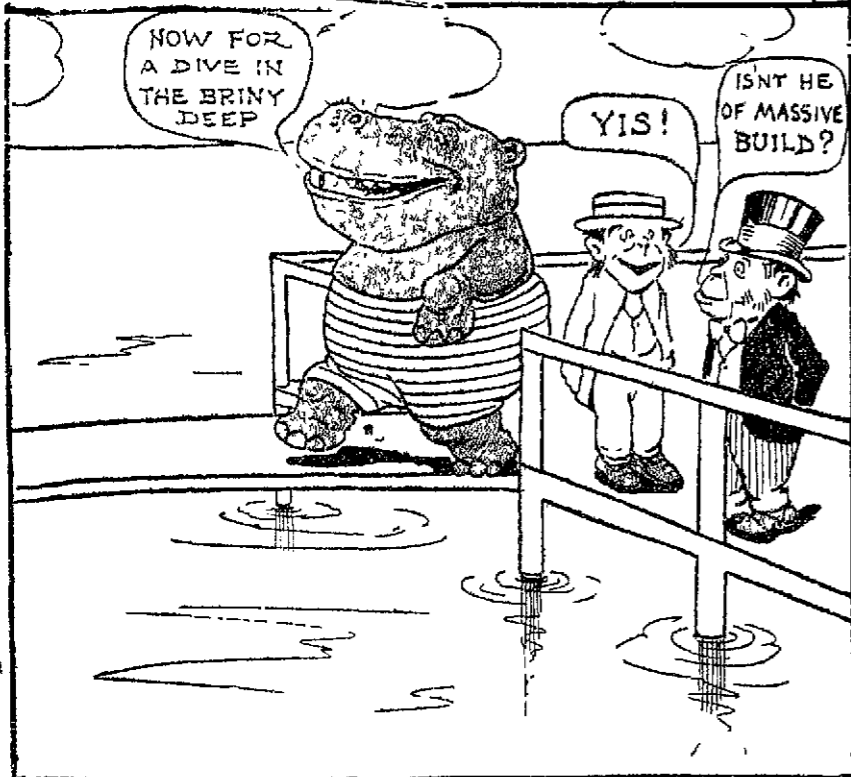
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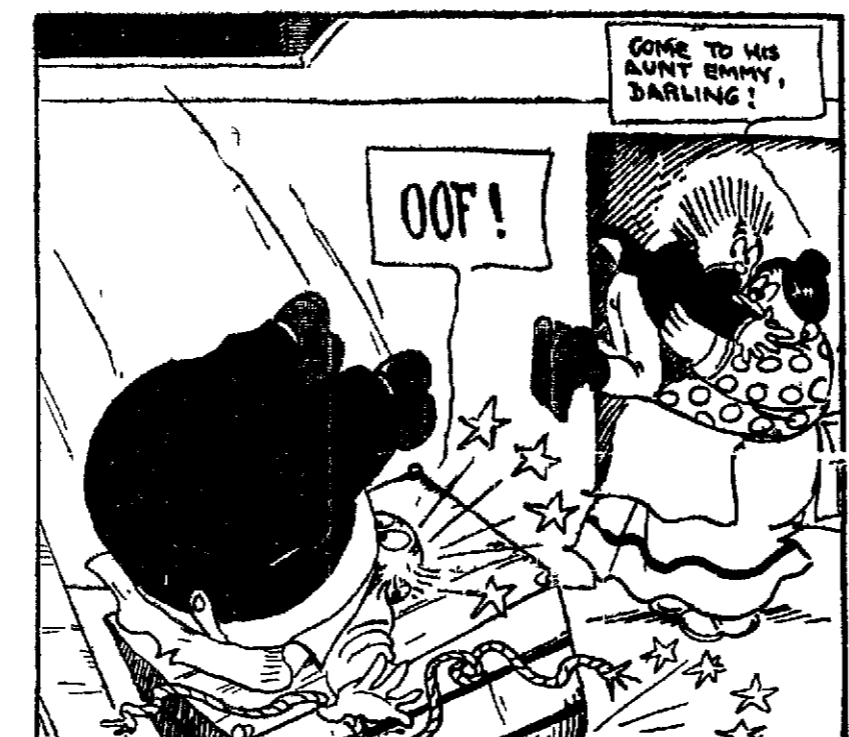
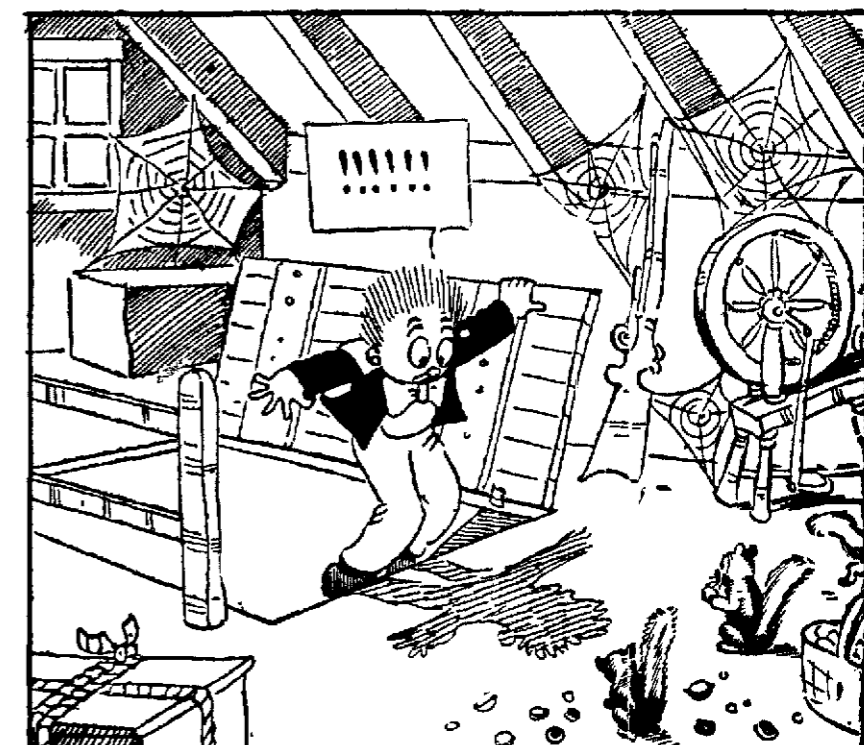
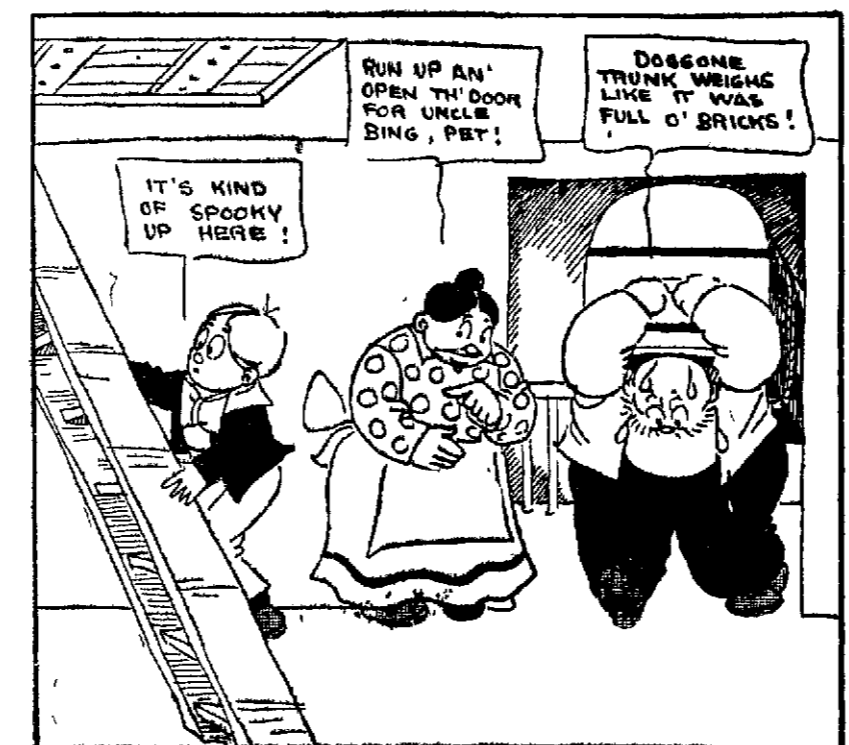
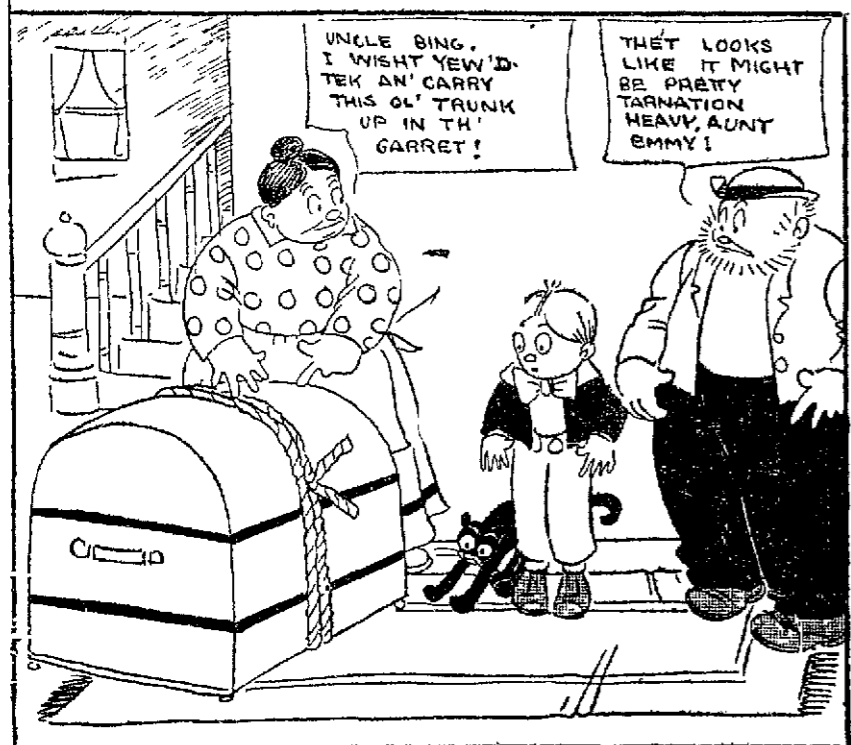
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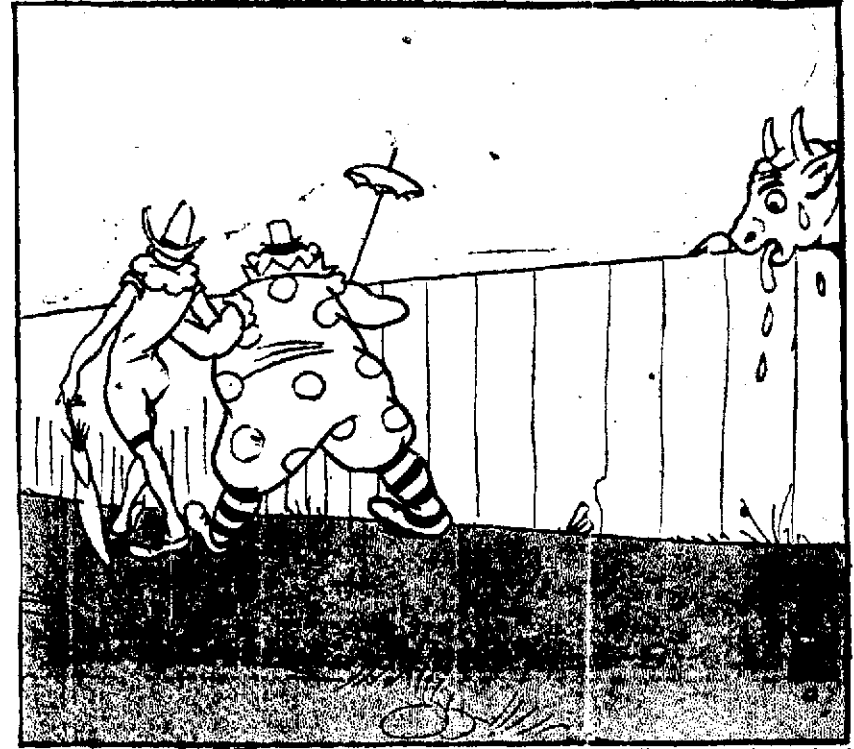
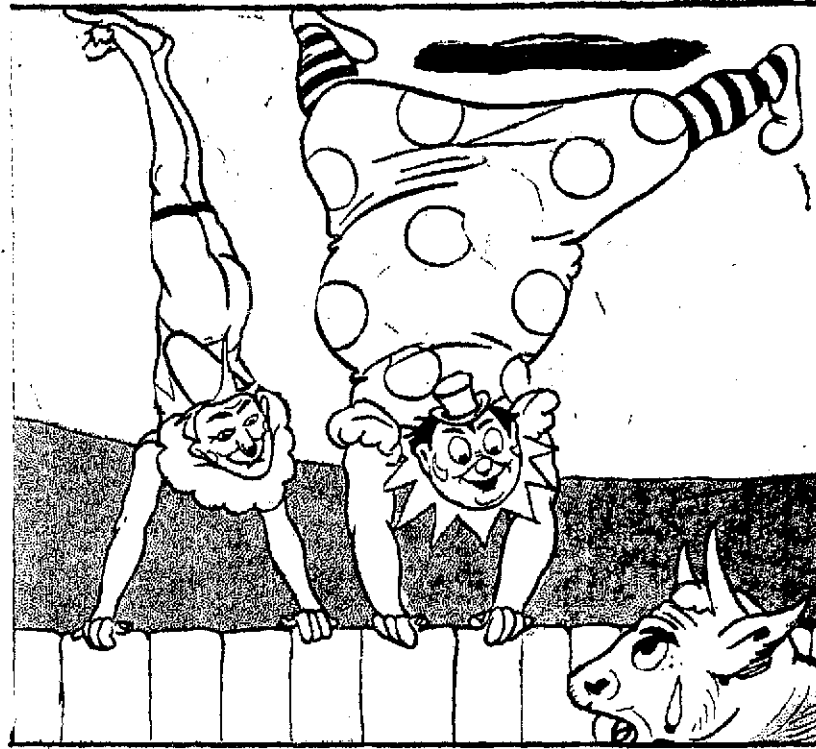
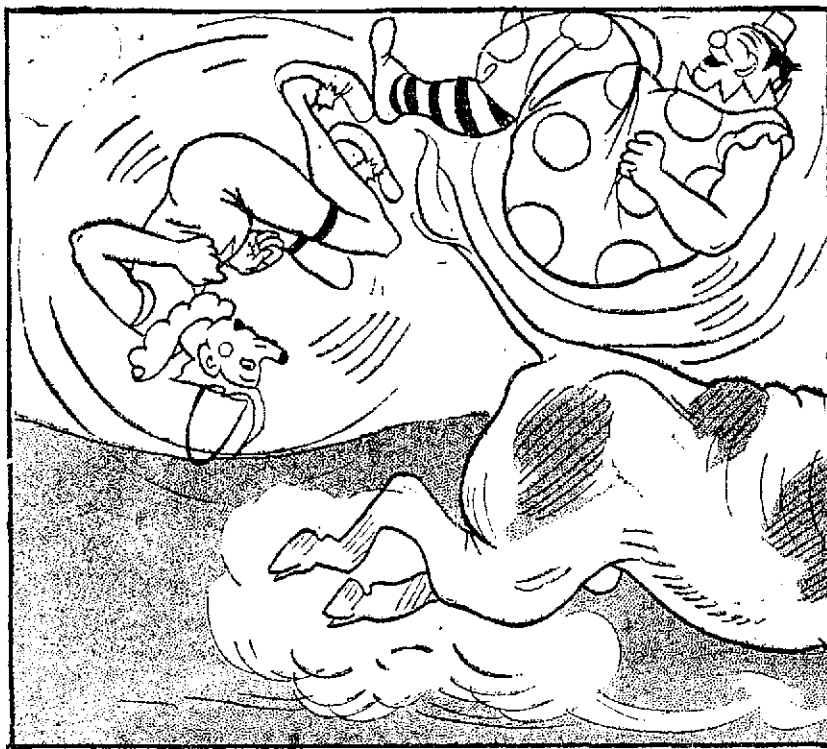
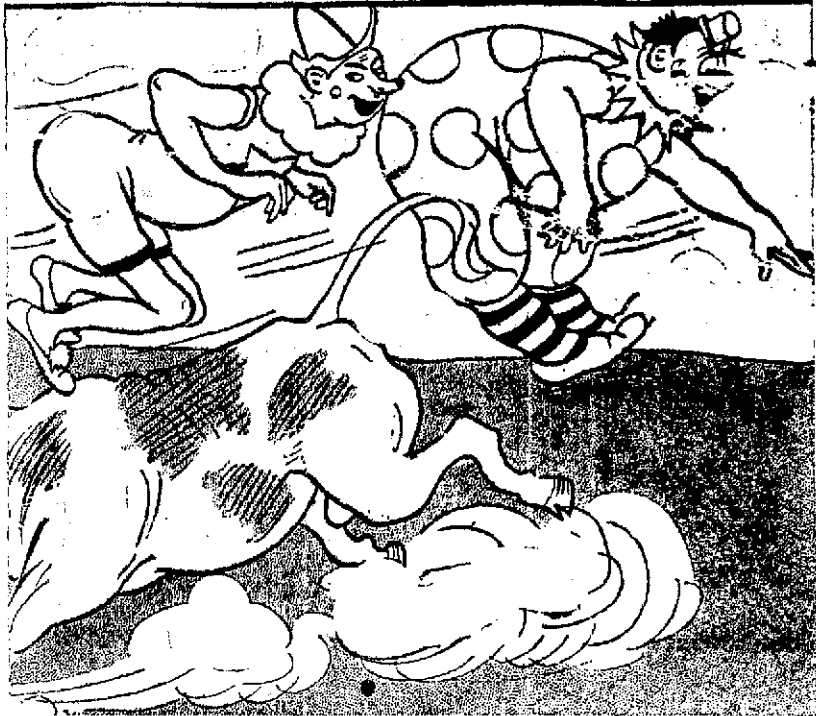
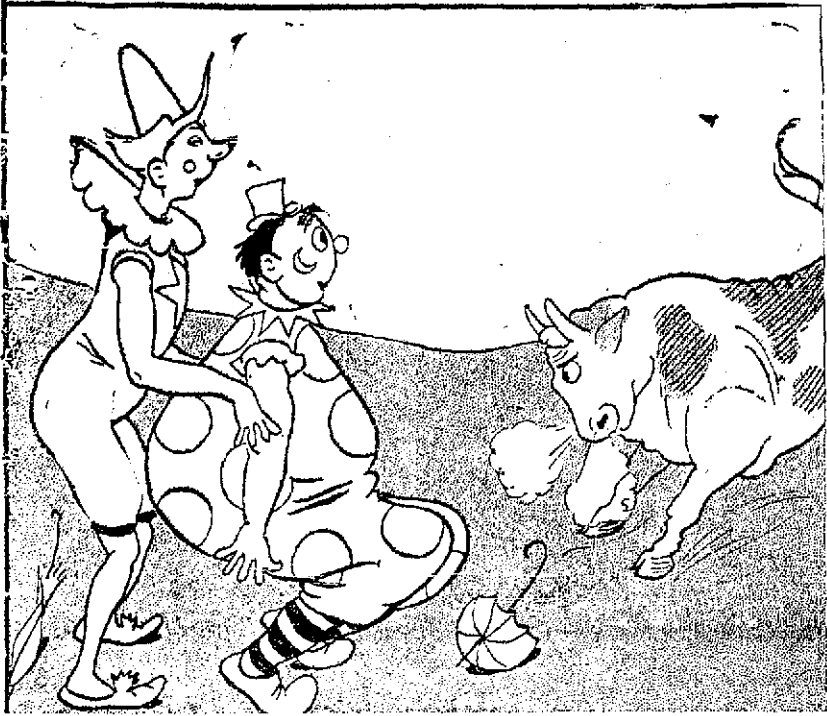
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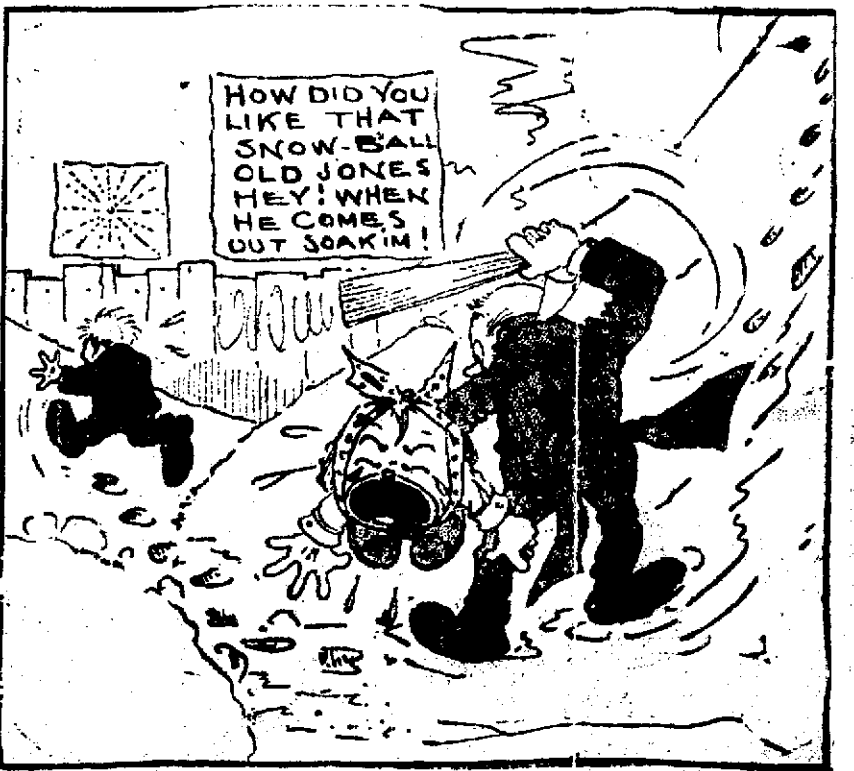
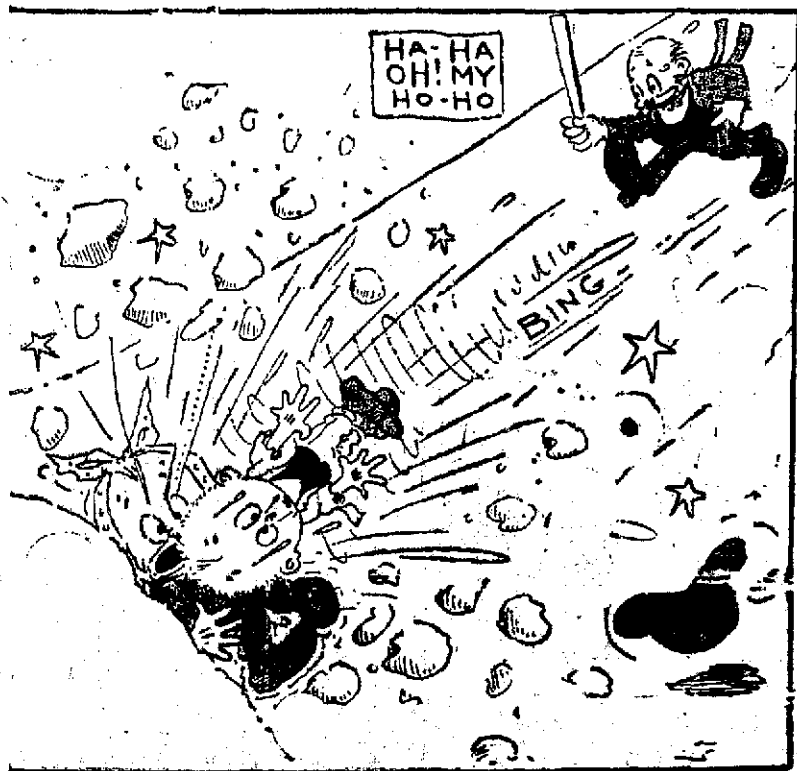
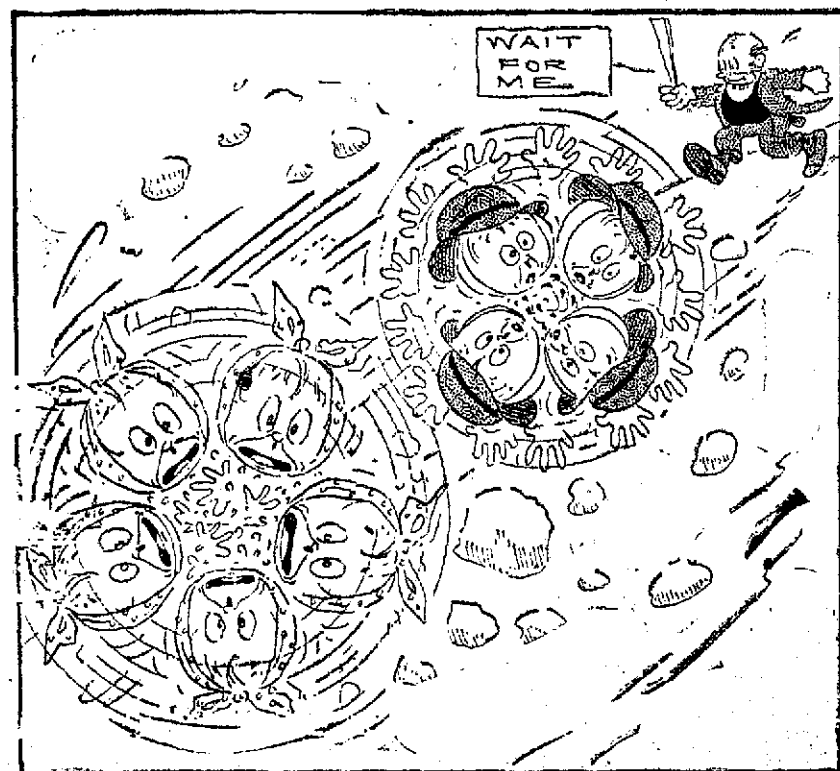
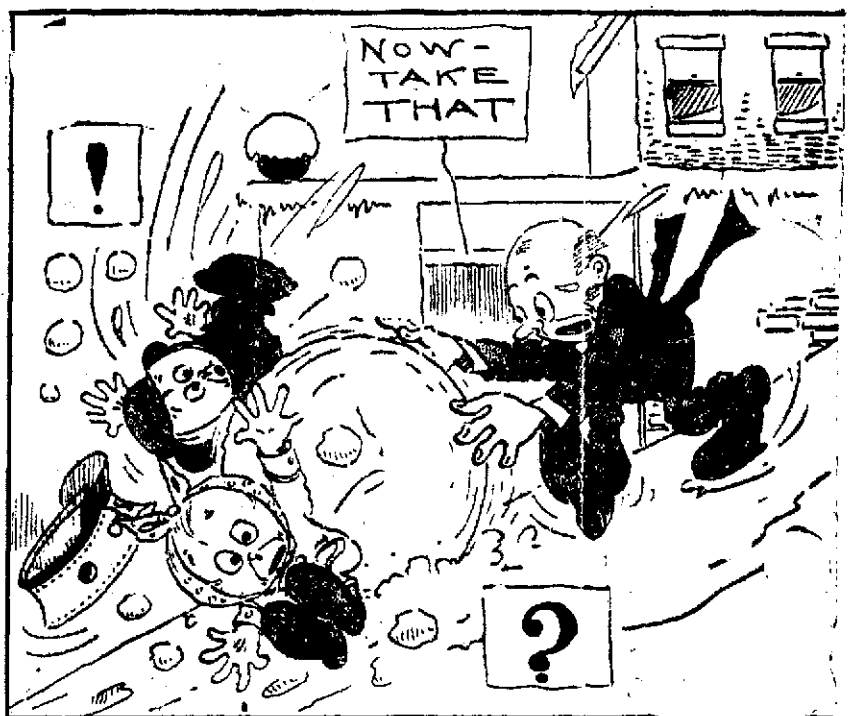
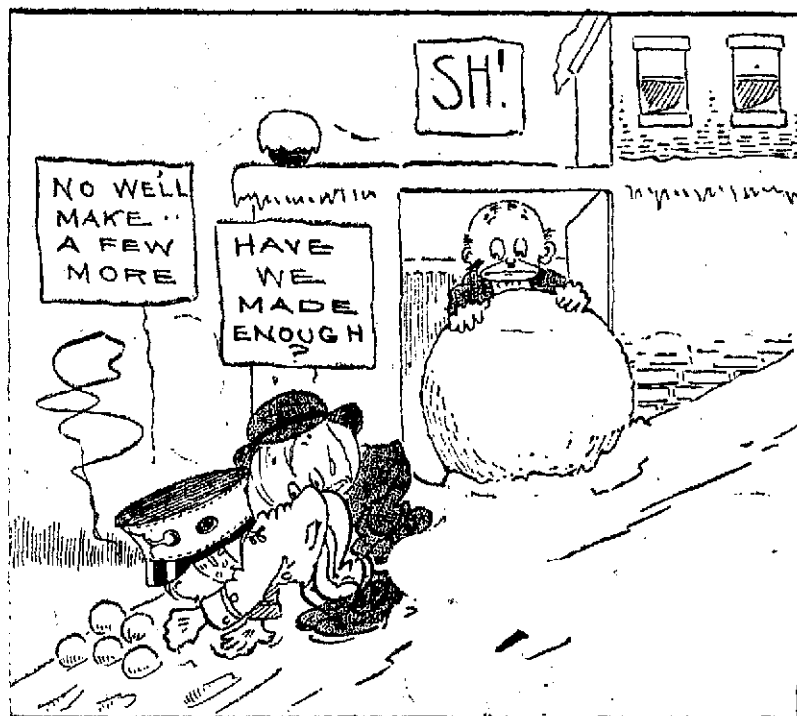
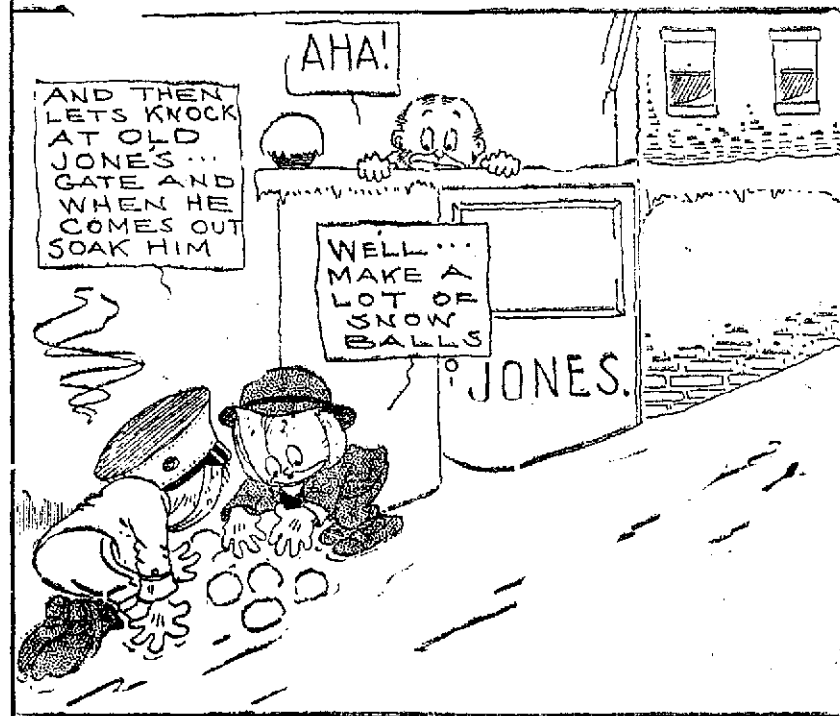
Why Scary William STEPPED ON UNCLE BING'S FACE



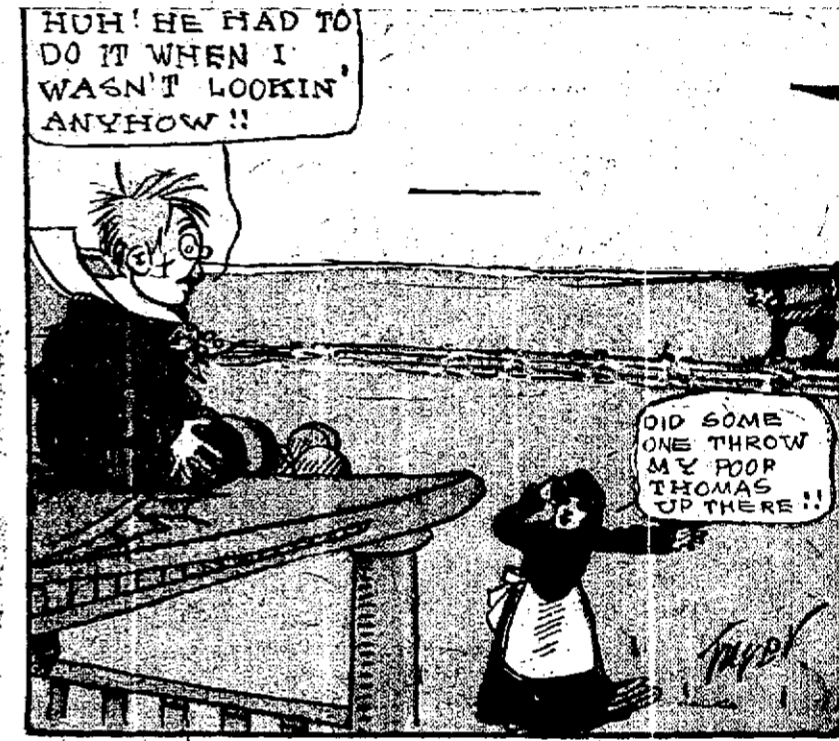
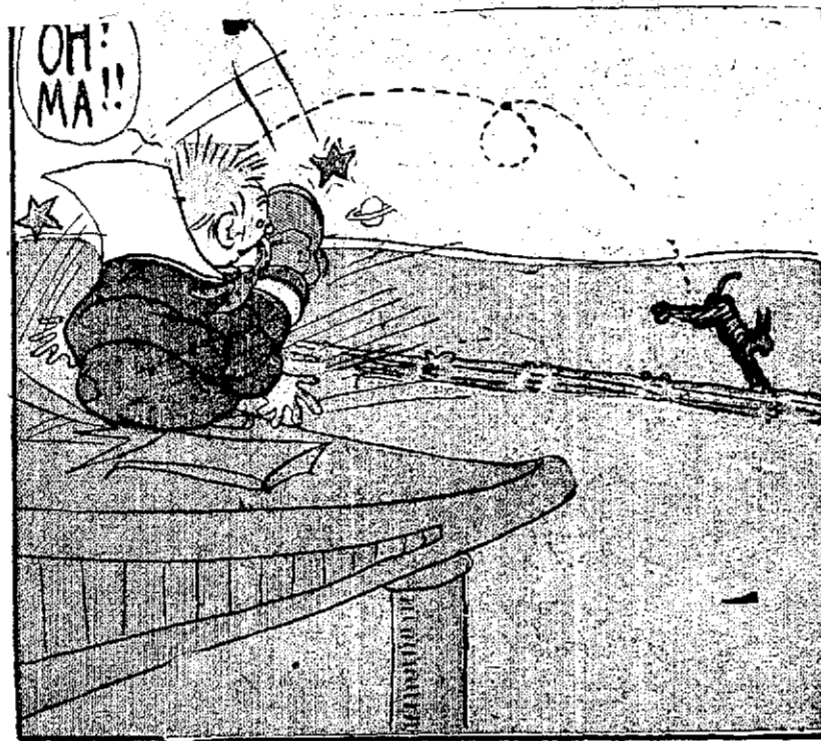
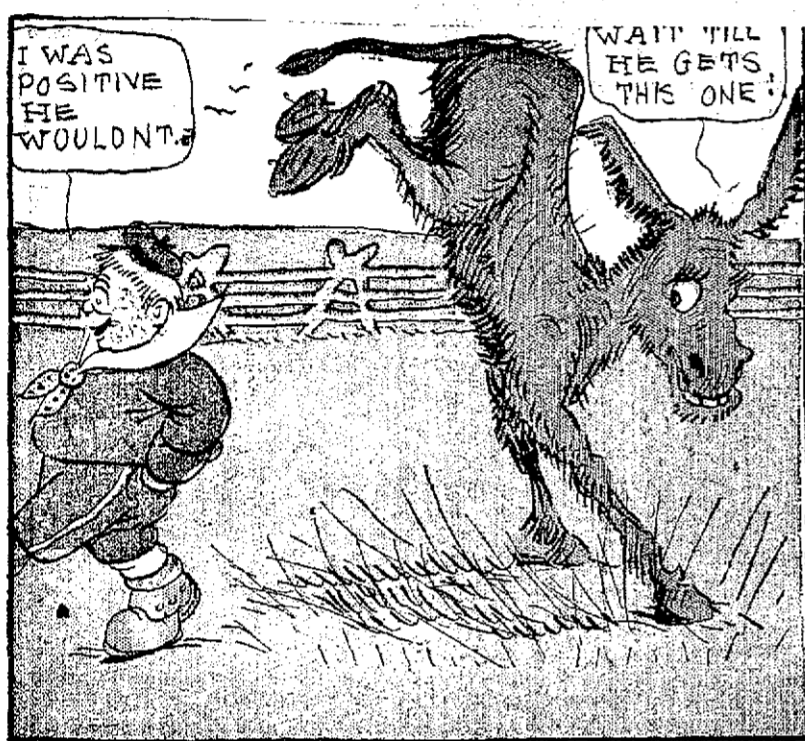
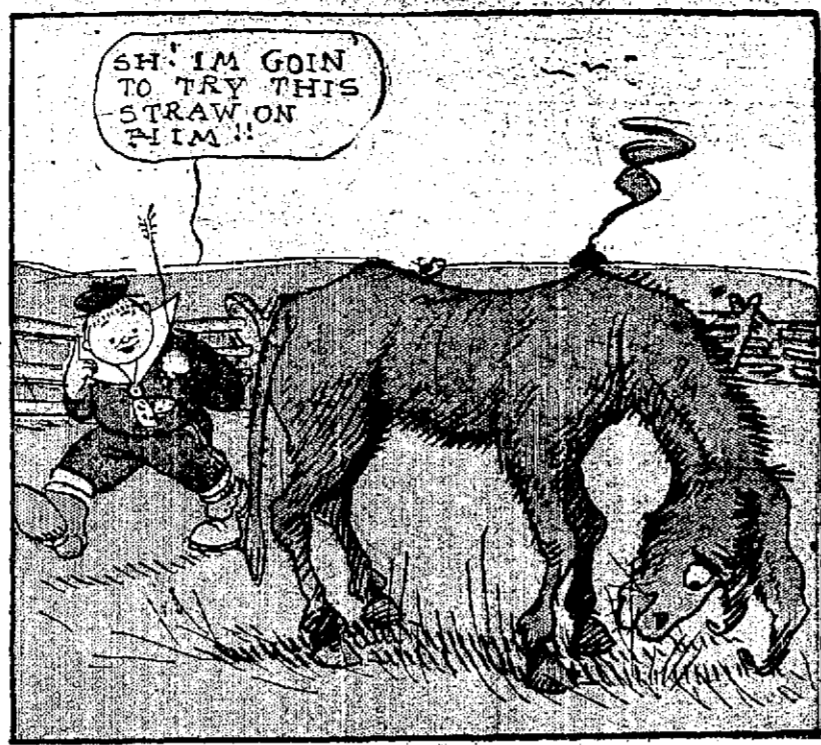
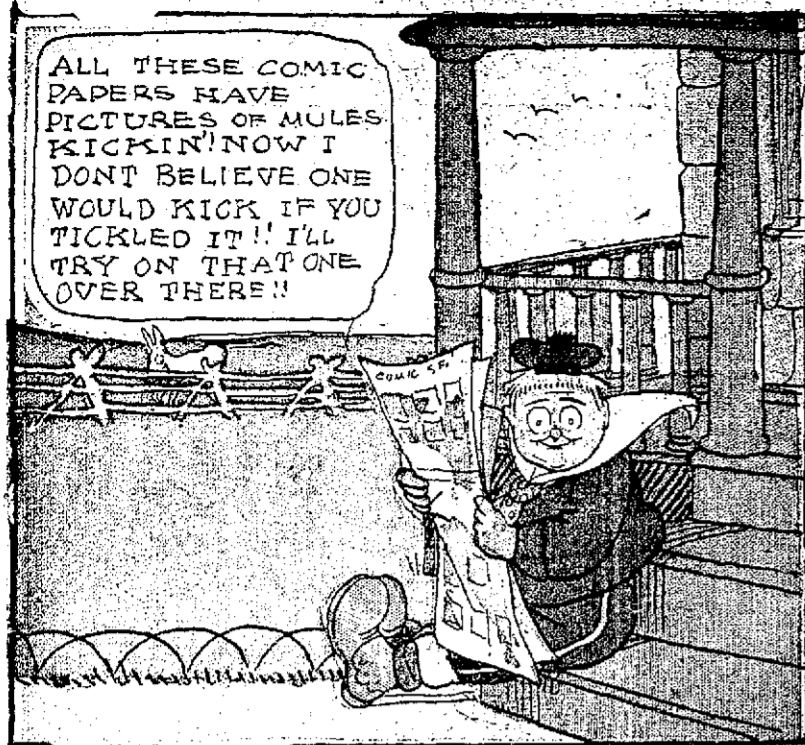
ACROBATIC TRIX OF HIX AND NIX



JIMMIE THE MESSENGER BOY GETS A FEW MORE BUMPS



DOUBTING THOMAS TICKLED THE MULE



GEORGE MEANT WELL THIS TIME BUT HE GETS BEAT UP JUST THE SAME

